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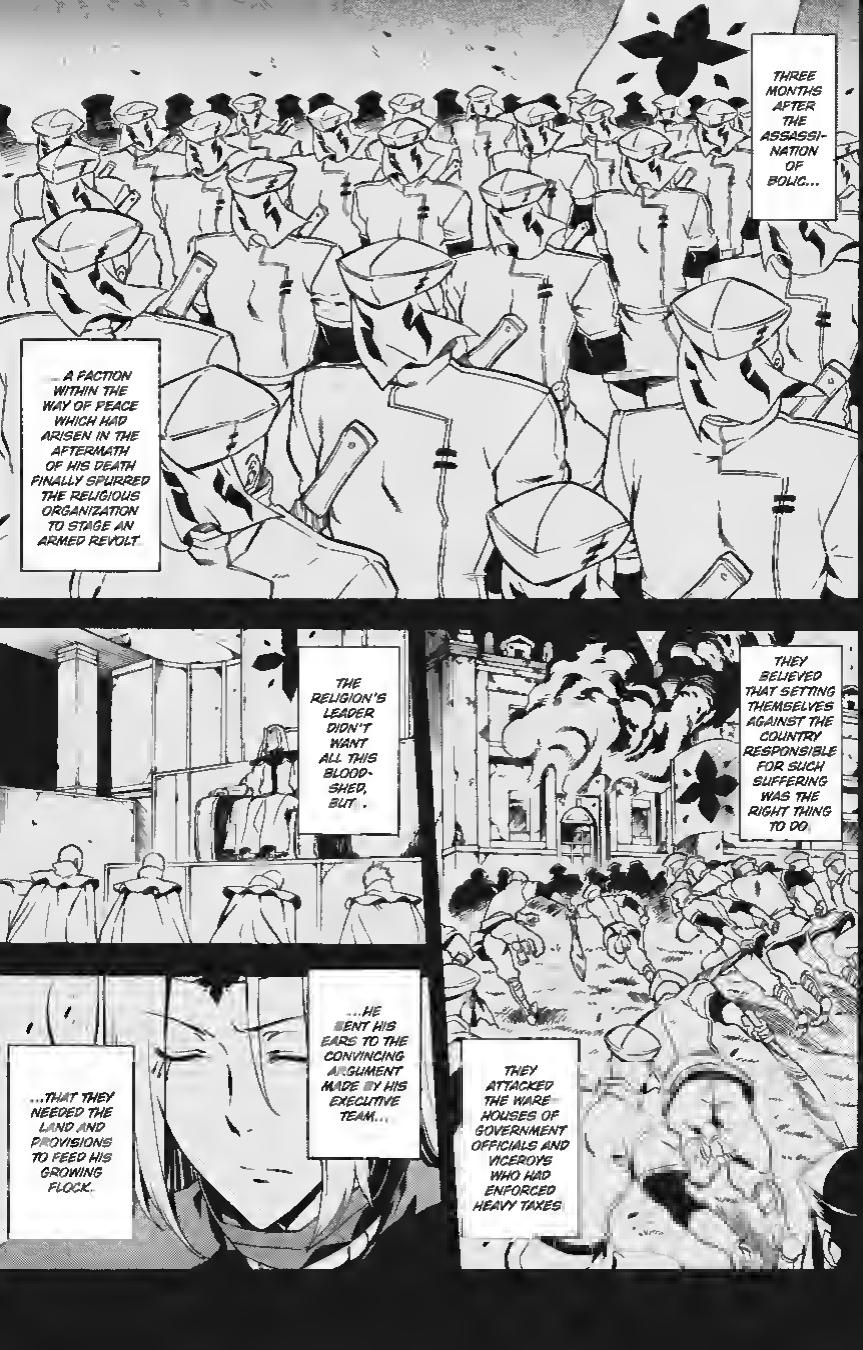
THREE MONTHS AFTER THE ASSASSINATION OF BOUC...
A FACTION WITHIN THE WAY OF PEACE WHICH HAD ARISEN IN THE AFTERMATH OF HIS DEATH FINALLY SPURRED THE RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATION TO STAGE AN ARMED REVOLT.
THE RELIGION'S LEADER DIDN'T WANT ALL THIS BLOODSHED, BUT .
THEY BELIEVED THAT SETTING THEMSELVES AGAINST THE COUNTRY RESPONSIBLE FOR SUCH SUFFERING WAS THE RIGHT THING TO DO.
...HE LENT HIS EARS TO THE CONVINCING ARGUMENT MADE BY HIS EXECUTIVE TEAM...
...THAT THEY NEEDED THE LAND AND PROVISIONS TO FEED HIS GROWING FLOCK.
THEY ATTACKED THE WARE-HOUSES OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND VICEROYS WHO HAD ENFORCED HEAVY TAXES

AT THE SAME TIME, AS THOUGH WAITING FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO PRESENT THEMSELVES, THE WESTERN TRIBES UNITED TO MOUNT A MASSIVE INVASION.
IN RESPONSE TO THE FRESH TURMOIL, THE VAST MAJORITY OF THE OPPRESSED CITIZENRY JOINED THE CHAOS.
THE EMPIRE'S SOLDIERS WERE UNPREPARED AND SUFFERED A SERIES OF DEFEATS.
AND SO THE INVADERS CAME POURING IN.
AND SO THE SCOPE OF THE REVOLT SPREAD TO EVERY CORNER OF THE EMPIRE.

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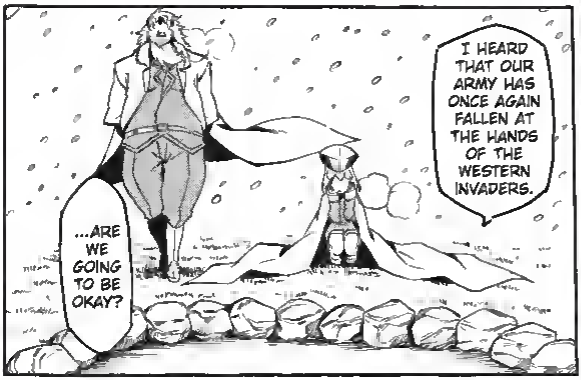

I HEARD THAT OUR ARMY HAS ONCE AGAIN FALLEN AT THE HANDS OF THE WESTERN INVADERS.
...ARE WE GOING TO BE OKAY?

MINISTER?

HAAH...
THE ENEMY'S JUST SO BIG.

I SEE... WELL, IT SOUNDS TO ME AS IF SEIGI IS SHIRKING HIS DUTIES
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

NOW, NOW. WHO TOLD YOU SUCH THINGS, YOUR HIGH-NESS?
SEIGI, THE ADMINIS-TRATOR OF DOMESTIC AFFAIRS

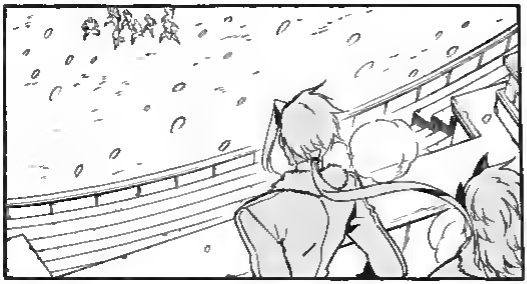
HE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR DEALING WITH THE UPRISINGS PLAGUING OUR EMPIRE RIGHT NOW.
ZUZU (SNIFFLE)
FEEDING YOU UNFOUNDED LIES ABOUT THE INVADERS ONLY MISLEADS YOU.
YES.
GENERAL ESDEATH WILL SURELY DRIVE BACK THE INVADING ENEMY.
THEIR NUMBERS ARE OF NO CONSE-QUENCE.
DON'T YOU WORRY ABOUT THE ENEMY.
I'VE ALREADY SUMMONED GENERAL ESDEATH AND HER UNIT.
OOH!
IN THAT CASE!!

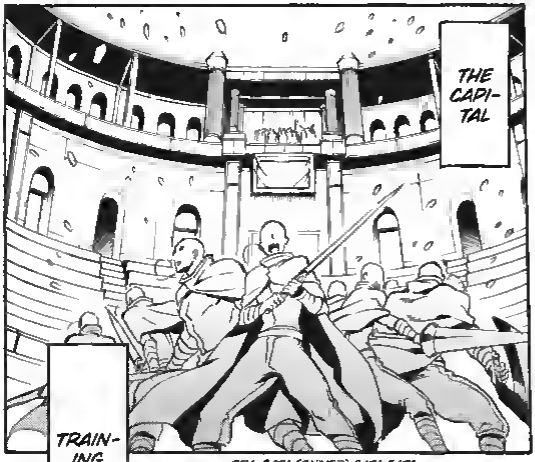
YOU KEEP DOING AS YOU ALWAYS DO AND MAINTAIN THE CALM COMPOSURE THAT REASSURES OUR PEOPLE.
BUT YOU HAVE NOTHING TO WORRY ABOUT.
WHEN AN EMPIRE'S BEEN AROUND AS LONG AS OURS, THESE THINGS HAPPEN.
YOU GOT IT!
THANKS, MINISTER!
A COUNTRY CAN NEVER STAND TALL IF ITS RULER SHOWS WEAKNESS.
YOU'RE ALWAYS HELPING ME OUT.

HAAAAAH.
SFX: GICHIGICHI
I SENT MY DARLING SON ON A TRIP...
...EVEN OUT OF THE COUNTRY, BUT...
WELL, THAT'S ONLY BECAUSE THESE DELICACIES ARE SO GOOD.
GYA-HA-HA! IT'S BECAUSE YOU OVEREAT, POPS!
THE STRESS HAS MADE ME GAIN WEIGHT.
GICHI (STRETCH)
DAMN... ALL THESE REBELLIONS AND INVASIONS OF LATE ARE SUCH A PAIN IN THE ASS...
...YOU CAME BACK BETTER THAN EVER.
I COULDN'T BE MORE PLEASED, SHULA.

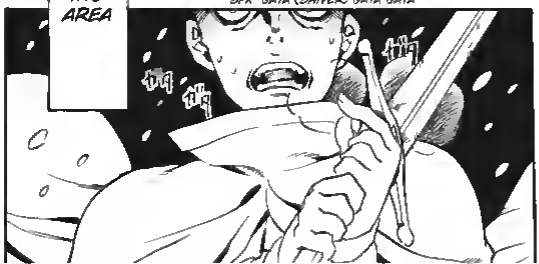
I'VE DONE THE ROUNDS...
...AND BEEN TO EVERY CORNER OF THE WORLD.
I'D ALWAYS THOUGHT SO, BUT THIS EMPIRE IS PRETTY DARN ADVANCED.
THE ARCHI-PELAGO TO THE SOUTH AND TUNDRA TO THE NORTH ARE SO RURAL, YOU KNOW?
THEY DON'T EVEN HAVE GUNS.
THE SECOND LARGEST CIVILIZATION AFTER OUR EMPIRE...
MUGU (CHEW)
MUGU
...WOULD HAVE TO BE THE KINGDOM TO THE WEST, DON'T YOU THINK?
YEAH.
THE WAY THEY UTILIZE ALCHEMY AND THEIR UNIQUE CULTURE IS FASCINATING.
MY ONE RE-GRET...
...IS THAT WE WEREN'T ABLE TO GO TO THE ISLAND NATION TO THE EAST. IT'S SAID TO STILL BE UNDE-VELOPED.

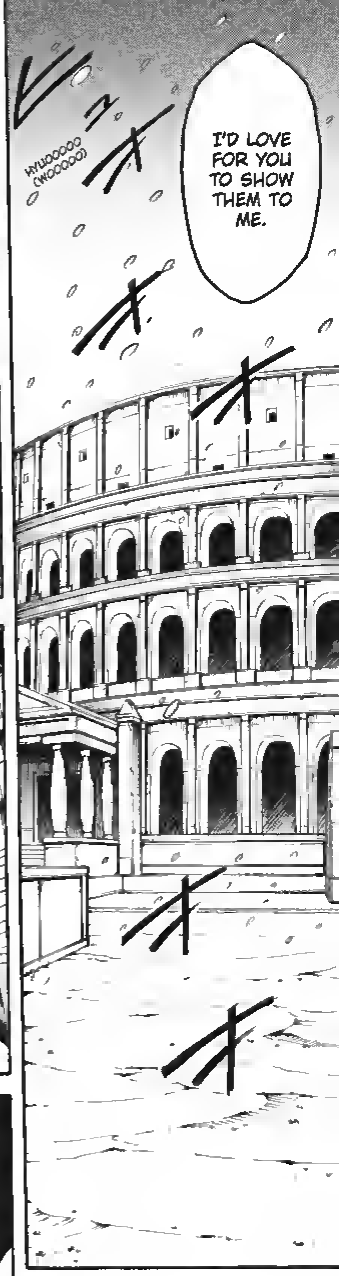
BUT.
THE FARTHEST REACHES OF THE EASTERN OCEAN ARE UNKNOWN TERRITORY, SO IT CAN'T BE HELPED.
FUKI
FUKI CHUPED
THAT HOMEWORK YOU GAVE ME FOR MY TRIP— "GATHER ANYONE TALENTED WHO COULD BE OF USE"...
I THINK I CAN SAFELY SAY I MORE THAN FULFILLED THE ASSIGNMENT, POPS.
WELL, WELL.





SFX: GATA (SHIVER) GATA GATA

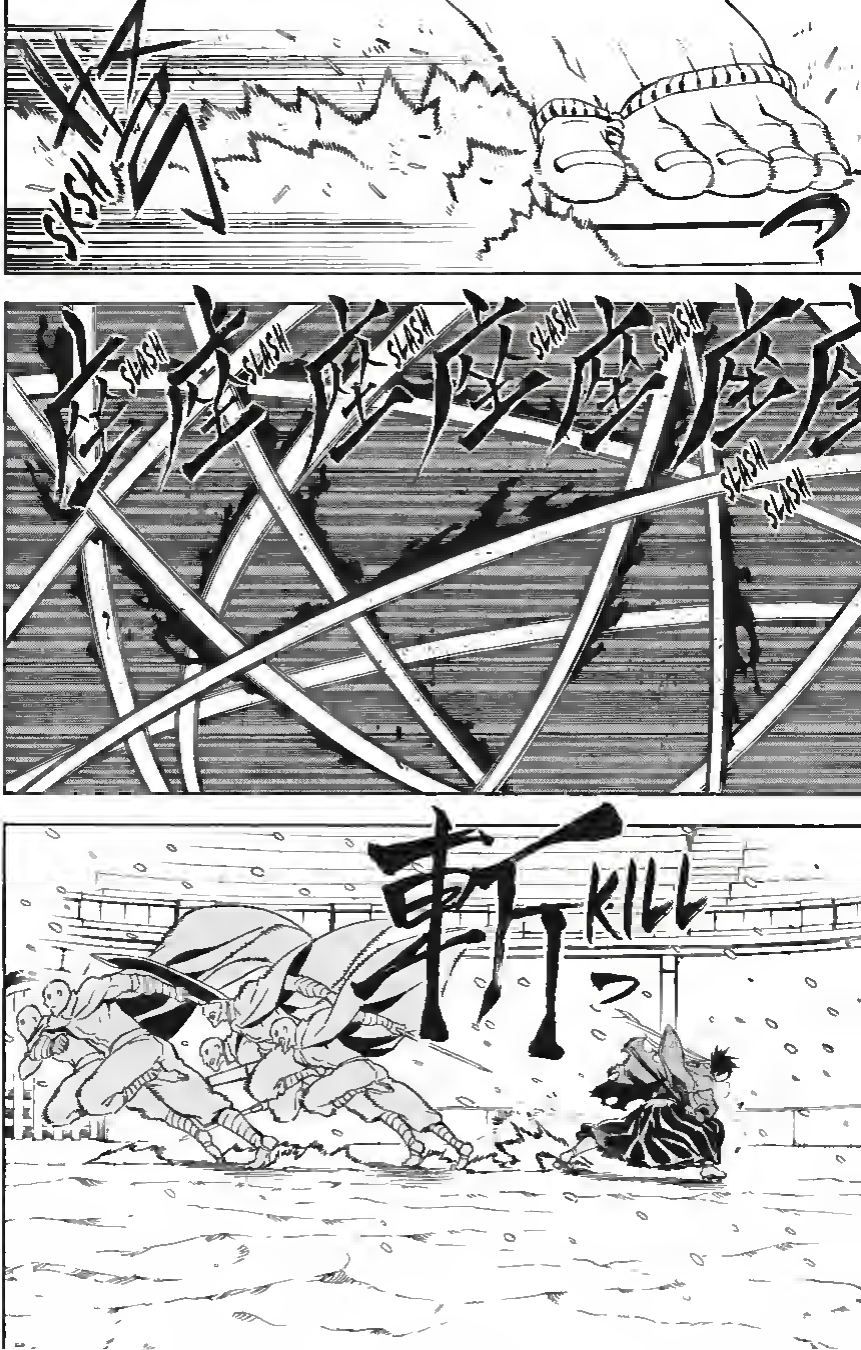




SO HOW ABOUT THIS?
WHY DON'T WE PLAY A LITTLE GAME?
HEY, GUYS!!
YOU'RE ALL ON DEATH ROW! ALL THAT AWAITS YOU IS THE HANGMAN'S NOOSE!
ZA
ZA
GAKO
GOLUNKO
ZA

WHOEVER DEFEATS THOSE FIVE PEOPLE WILL BE PARDONED OF THEIR CRIMES AND EVEN GIVEN A REWARD!
FEEL FREE TO WORK TOGETHER TO GANG UP ON THEM ALL AT ONCE. NO QUALMS HERE!
H... HEY ...
WE GONNA DO THIS?
YEAH.
IF WE DON'T ACT NOW, WE'LL JUST END UP DEAD.
OH.
THEY'RE GAME FOR THIS. GOOD THINKING.
...IS A COMMON PRACTICE WHEN TRAINING ASSASSINS.
TEMPTING CONDEMNED CRIMINALS WITH A PARDON TO GET THEM TO FIGHT...
IT'S A PERFECT TEST OF THEIR ACTUAL SKILLS.

WELL, THEN ...
DO (CHARGE)
UWWOOAAAAAH!
HAAH. HAAH.
...AS DECIDED BY OUR GAME OF ROCK-PAPER-SCISSORS ...
NOTHIN' WE CAN DO TO STOP YOU.
...I WILL GO FIRST.
BASA (FLAP)
CHIKI OCHIKO
NOW ...
...I WILL FEED YOU YOUR MEAL.
MY BE-LOVED KOU-SETSU.
...AH, YES.
CHA (CHIK)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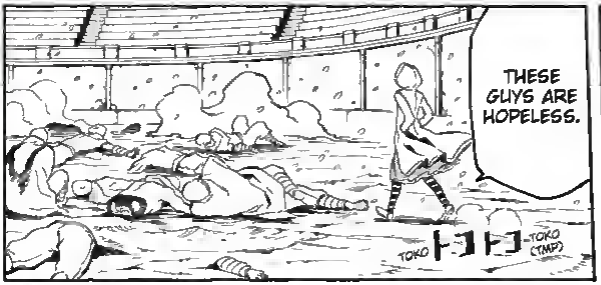
KILL

THAT'S IZOU.
ZUBA (SLASH)
HE'S A SWORDSMAN WHO LOVES HIS SWORD MORE THAN ANYONE ELSE AND CONSTANTLY FEEDS IT BLOOD.
EE ...
EEE ...!
MON-STER !!
AAA
TA (TAP)
TA
TA
DEAR, DEAR.
CHIKI (CHK)
THERE'S NOWHERE TO RUN.
POOR LITTLE HU-MANS.

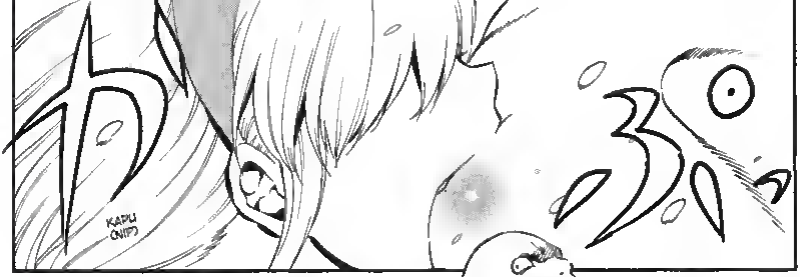
HOW ABOUT I AT LEAST SING YOU A PEACEFUL SONG...
PUCHI (SNAP)
...TO SEND YOU TO YOUR GRAVES!
SLASH (FWAP)
RIN! (CRICK)
GO (WHOOSH)

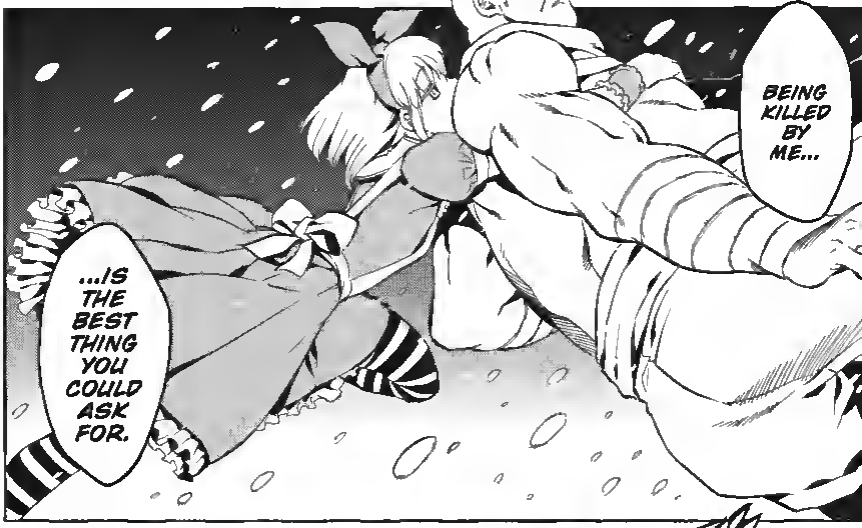
THAT'S COSMINA.
SHE'S A SONG-STRESS CONVICTED AS A WITCH IN THE WEST.
GH ...
GYAAAAAAH!
DOSA (THUD)
NOW, NOW.
DON'T DO THAT, YOU BITCH!
GA (PLANT)
DON'T GO KILLING EVERYONE OFF! WHAT ABOUT ME!?
EEK!
GOT THEM ALL IN ONE GO! ☆

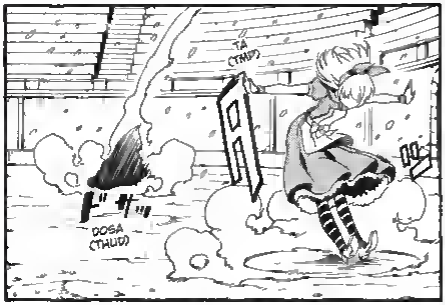


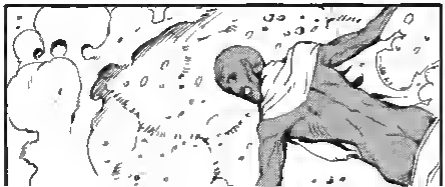
SFX: BABA (FLAIL)

PIPE DOWN!
DO (BOOM)
GA (GRAB)
YOU SHOULD FEEL...
BAGA (FLAP)
...LUCKY.









SFX: ZUOOOOO (SHURRRK)

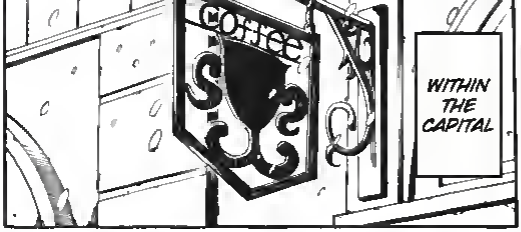
YUM!
THAT'S DORTHEA.
SHE'S AN ALCHEMIST WHO CAN CONVERT FLESH INTO ALL SORTS OF THINGS.
AND THAT'S ENSHIN.
HE'S A PIRATE WHO RAN AMOK IN THE ARCHIPELAGO TO THE SOUTH.
I'M SO DESPERATE TO KILL, I'M ABOUT READY TO POP.
THAT FATTY HUFFING AND PUFFING OVER THERE IS SHAMP.
HAAH. HAAH. HAAH.
HE'S A SERIAL KILLER CLOWN.
IF THERE'S NO LITTLE KIDS HERE, I'M NOT INTER-ESTED.

I SEE...
BUT...
YOU'VE AMASSED A FINE TROUPE.
DON
DON
DON GRADUND

WHY ARE THEY ALL EQUIPPED WITH TEIGU...?
BECAUSE I COLLECTED TEIGU THAT HAD BEEN SCATTERED OUTSIDE THE COUNTRY TOO, REMEMBER?
LET THEM USE THEM IF THEY WANT.
AFTER ALL, THESE GUYS ARE WORLD-CLASS AT WHAT THEY DO, SEE?
YOUR FOUR RAKSHASA WERE NOTHING COMPARED TO THEM.
HEH HEH HEH.
THAT'S AN AMUSING CHAL-LENGE.
IT'S NO CHAL-LENGE.
AND TO PROVE IT...
...WE'RE GOING TO KILL THAT TROUBLE-SOME SEIGI FELLOW...
...FOR YOU.
OH MY.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO TROUBLE YOURSELF WITH THAT.
MOCHI

...NOW IS MY CHANCE TO EXPOSE THOSE WHO ONLY PRETENDED TO BE MY FAITHFUL RETAINERS.
WITH THE COUNTRY RILED UP AS IT IS...
WE CAN INVENT CRIMES TO PIN ON THEM...
I'LL TAKE ALL THOSE LOUTS WHO STAND AGAINST ME...
HEH HEH HEH.
...AND EXECUTE THEM ONE BY ONE.

OH WELL.
FIRST...
JUST AS I THOUGHT, IT'LL BE HARD WORK TAKING OUT MY OLD MAN.
THAT'S TYPICAL EVIL FOR YOU.
WE HAVE PLENTY OF TOYS TO AMUSE US.
...TO HAVE SOME FUN.


COFFEE
WITHIN THE CAPITAL

KYORO (LOOK)
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KYORO
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THE CITY STILL FEELS PRETTY PEACEFUL, ALL THINGS CONSIDERED.
ZU (SIP)
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ZU

...YEAH.

HEY.
HOW LONG ARE YOU GOING TO STAY DOWN IN THE DUMPS, KUROME?
...I CAN'T HELP IT.
I WAS USELESS WHEN IT REALLY MATTERED.
IT'S TRUE WE FAILED OUR MISSION.
BUT THAT'S WHY THE CAPTAIN SAID IT'S NOT THE SUBJUGATION OF THE INVADERS WE HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT, BUT PROTECTING THE CAPITAL.
SU (SWP)
HERE.
I'LL GIVE YOU MY SLICE OF CAKE!

YOU'RE RIGHT.
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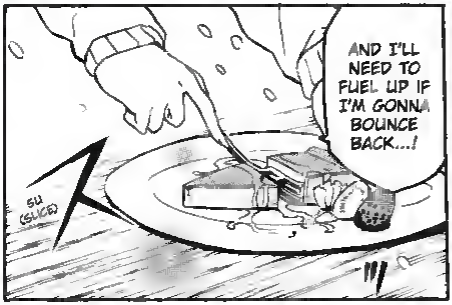
AND I'LL NEED TO FUEL UP IF I'M GONNA BOUNCE BACK...!
SU (SLICE)

BLOWN
R...
RIGHT.
YOU WERE BLOWN AWAY BY THE ENEMY TWICE BUT GOT BACK ON YOUR FEET, SO I SHOULD BE ABLE TO TOO!
TWICE
DOSU (STAB)

PAKU (MUNCH)
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MOGU
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MOGU (CHEW)
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WHAT'S UP, RUN?
TA (TAK)
YOU HAVE A THING FOR STREET PERFOR-MANCE?

SO CHILLY
...NOT...
...GUESS...
YOU HAD A WICKED SCARY LOOK ON YOUR FACE.
IS SOMETHING UP?
HEY, RUN!
...WAVE.
TA
CTAKO
TA
AA

?
...NO...
IT'S NOTHING.
CURRENTLY, THEY ARE IN THE MIDDLE OF THEIR JOURNEY, 250 KM SOUTH OF THE CAPITAL.
PACHI
PACHI
PACHI
SO THEY TOOK THE LONG WAY AROUND, CHOOSING A ROUTE THAT TOOK THEM TO THE CAPITAL FROM THE SOUTH SIDE
PACHI (SNAP)
PACHI
PACHI
AKAME AND THE TEAM WERE ON GUARD AGAINST ATTACK AS THEY MADE THEIR WAY HOME.

HOW'S YOUR INJURY, AKAME?
IT'S A LOT BETTER...
PACHI (SNAP)
PACHI
PACHI
PACHI
GUI (SQUEEZE)
...BUT IT'LL BE ANOTHER COUPLE OF WEEKS BEFORE IT'S FULLY HEALED.

I'M ALL BETTER, AKAME!
GABA (GLOMP)
SAVE THAT FOR TATSUMI!
SHA (WHISH)

I'M ALREADY NEARLY HEALED UP!
GUI (CLENCH)
I FIND THAT HARD TO BELIEVE.

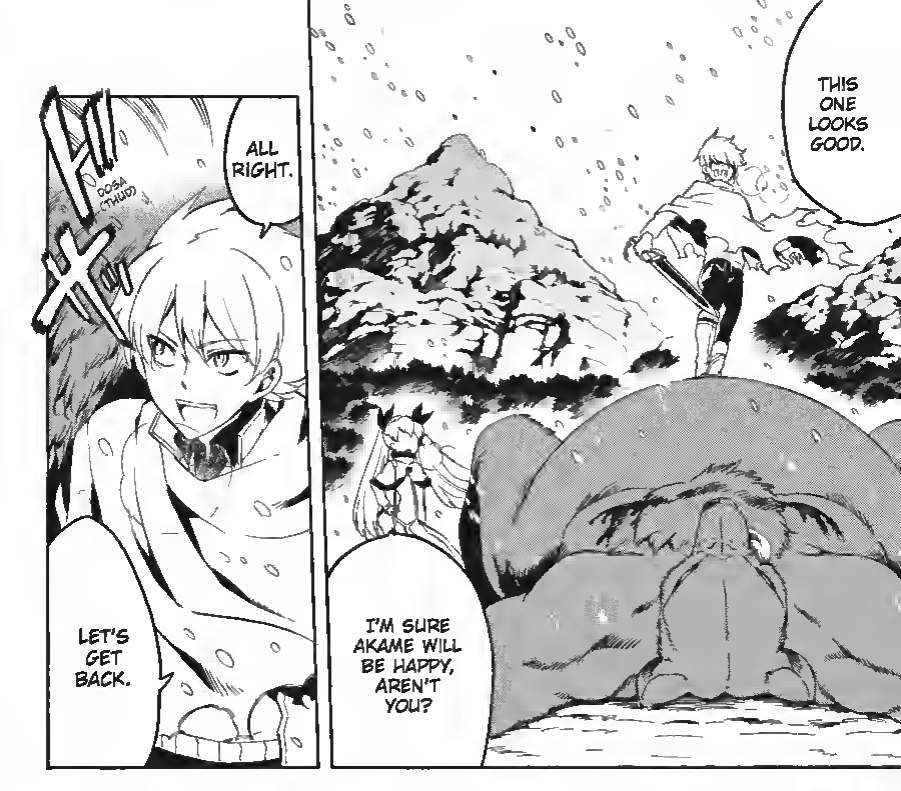
AND IN A LITTLE OVER A MONTH, I SHOULD BE—
RUSH (STAB)
SHUT UP AND GO TO BED.
HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!
AND STAY OUT!

CHELSEA AND SUSANOO WERE KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY.
DOKA (PUNT)
GYU (CLENCH)
...AS FOR ME...
...IT WON'T BE LONG NOW. IT MAY NOT BE PERFECT, BUT I'VE ALREADY USED THE MAGATAMA MANIFEST THREE TIMES.
THAT'S TOO MANY HEAVY LOSSES.
PACHI
PACHI
PACHI
AKAME AND LUBBOCK HAVE BROKEN SO MANY BONES, IT'LL BE FOUR TO SIX MONTHS BEFORE THEY'RE FULLY RECOVERED
IT'S OKAY.
?
...I HAVE TO STAY ALIVE ...
UNTIL THIS REVOLUTION'S CARRIED OUT...

I CAN SENSE YOUR INNER TENACITY, NAJENDA.
PACHI (SNAP)
PACHI
I'M SURE YOU'LL STAY ALIVE.
PACHI
HEARING YOU SAY THAT...
...GIVES ME STRENGTH ...

ALL WE CAN DO NOW IS WAIT FOR THE HUNTING PARTY TO COME BACK...
YEAH ...
FIRST THINGS FIRST. YOU NEED LOTS OF FUEL (MEAT).
THEY SURE ARE TAKING A LONG TIME.

ZAN
(SLASH)
SFX DOOOOON (BOOOOOM)


THIS ONE LOOKS GOOD.
I'M SURE AKAME WILL BE HAPPY, AREN'T YOU?
ALL RIGHT.
DOSA (THUD)
LET'S GET BACK.

AH!
W-WAIT!
?
TA TA TA (THUD)
(GIGGLE)

NOW'S MY CHANCE TO TELL HIM...
?
WE'RE FINALLY ALONE FOR ONCE.
A...
ACTU-ALLY, NEVER MIND ...
.....
SH ...
SHUT UP!
YOU'VE BEEN PULLING THAT A LOT LATELY.
WHAT IS IT?

!
I THOUGHT YOU WERE THE TYPE WHO JUST SAYS IT LIKE IT IS.
GYU (SQUEEZE)
ゆっ
THEN I'LL JUST SAY IT...
FINE, THEN!!
F...
MINE...?

SO LISTEN TO EVERY WORD I'M ABOUT TO SAY.
GUUUU (GURRRGLE)
...THEY'RE TAKING FOREVER.

Akame ga KILL!

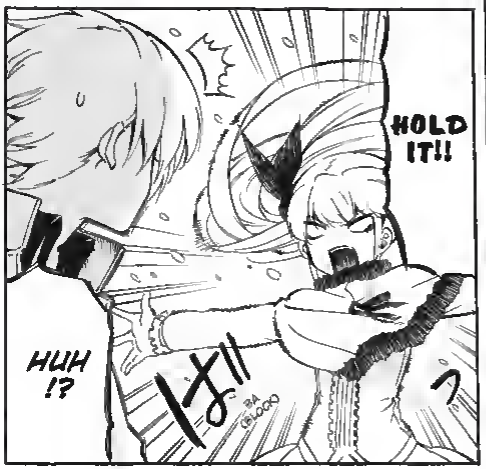
Rough Sketches 1

...NH.
...WHAT IS IT?
I!
I...
HE'S JUST A SIMPLETON, SO WHAT AM I GETTING SO FLUSTERED FOR...?
I'VE GROWN...
...TO LIKE YOU!

Chapter 45 -
Kill the Heretics (Part 1)

Akame ga KILL!

SO EVEN SOMEONE AS NARROW-MINDED AS YOU HAS ACCEPTED ME.
MOCHI
I SEE.
I LIKE YOU TOO.
DON'T WORRY.
HEH.
HUH?
THIS THICK-HEADED MORON ...!
I SPILL MY GUTS, AND THIS IS HOW HE REACTS? UNREAL ...!
I DIDN'T MEAN IT LIKE THAT.
I...
RISHI (WHIP)
AS A PRE-CIOUS ALLY!!


HOLD IT!!
HUH !?
BA (BLOOD)

BUT I CAN'T LET HIM GET AWAY NOW!!
THERE'S NO TELLING WHEN I'LL HAVE THE CHANCE AGAIN .....!!
ZA (DSW)
ZA
ZA

I DON'T LIKE YOU IN THAT WAY.
YOU IDIOT!
YOU DON'T GET IT.

SUU (INHALE)

STAY STRONG ...
WHAT OTHER WAY COULD THERE BE?
GUSA (STAB)
HUH ?

...HERE GOES.
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GYU (CLENCH)
HEY, WHAT'S THE MATTER?
HERE GOES WHAT...?
DOSH (THUMP)

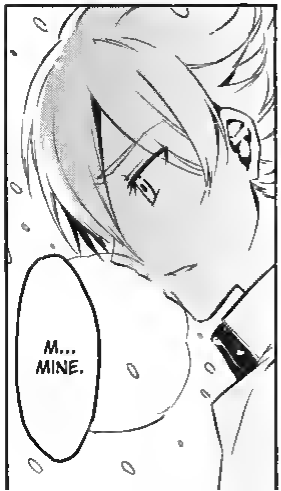
WHA
...

JUST SHUT UP AND BELIEVE ME!
I JUST GAVE YOU MY FIRST KISS!
WAS THAT MY PUNISH-MENT FOR SOME-THING?
HUH?
THIS IS WHAT I MEANT WHEN I SAID I LIKE YOU!
NOW DO YOU SEE?
I KNOW.
AT FIRST, IT WAS LIKE, "COME ON, YOU NEWBIE BUMPKIN, AT LEAST TRY!!"
I CAN'T BELIEVE THIS.
BUT MINE, EVER SINCE WE MET, YOU'VE TREATED ME LIKE AN IDIOT.
...YOU'RE SO MEAN.

BUT...
...THEN YOU SAVED MY LIFE...

O...OF COURSE I PULLED YOU OUT OF THAT SCRAPE.
THAT'S WHAT ANY TEAMMATE WOULD DO!
...YOU'RE RIGHT.

DOKI
DOKI


M... MINE.

IT MADE ME REALIZE THAT YOU'RE ALSO A MAN, BENEATH IT ALL.
MAYBE EVEN SINCE YOU INHERITED BULAT'S TEIGU AND VOWED TO CARRY ON HIS WISHES.
BUT I THINK. MY FEELINGS FOR YOU HAVE BEEN GROWING FOR A WHILE

...I'M GOING TO GO OUT WITH YOU!
SO BE THANK-FUL!
AND THAT'S WHY...
HUH !?
WHAT ABOUT MY FEELINGS ON THIS?
...DO YOU NOT WANT ME?
UH! IT'S NOT THAT I DON'T WANT YOU...BUT THIS IS ALL HAPPENING SO FAST, I'M A LITTLE FREAKED...!
SHEESH. YOU'RE HOPE-LESS.
IT'S TIMES LIKE THIS YOU JUST HAVE TO MAKE UP YOUR MIND FAST!
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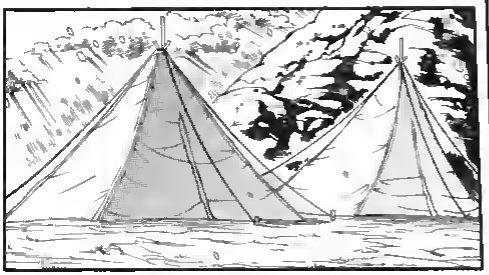
SFX: ATA (PANIC) ATA FUTA

.....
YOU'LL BE MY LOVE SLAVE SOON ENOUGH!
JUST AGREE TO GO OUT WITH ME!
AND SO!
WHAT'S SO FUNNY!?
WH–
PFFT!
I WAS JUST THINKING THAT EVEN WHEN YOU'RE ASKING ME OUT, YOU'RE STILL THE SAME MINE I KNOW...
.....

GIVE IT A REST ALREADY!
G...
...THE SAME PERSON WHO SAID...
..."AND WHAT'S SO GOOD ABOUT THIS ONE?" WHEN YOU FIRST SAW ME.
GU (GRIP)
IF YOU'LL HAVE ME.
...FINE.



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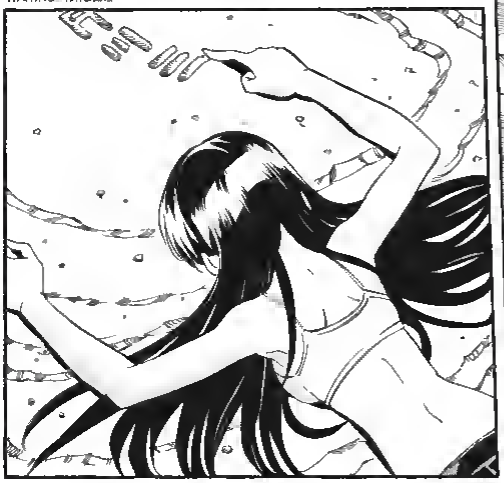

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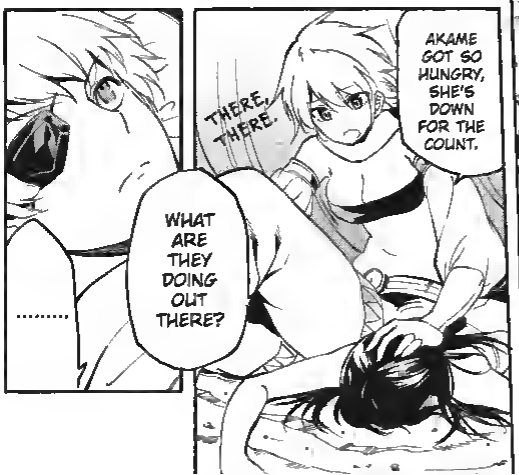
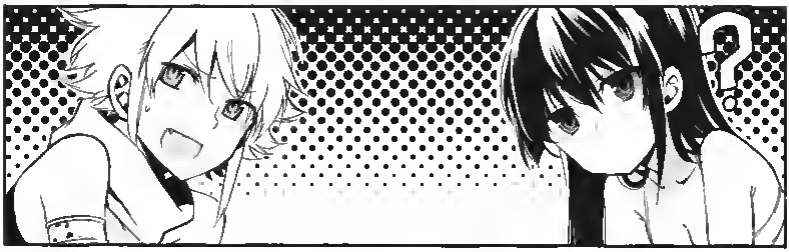


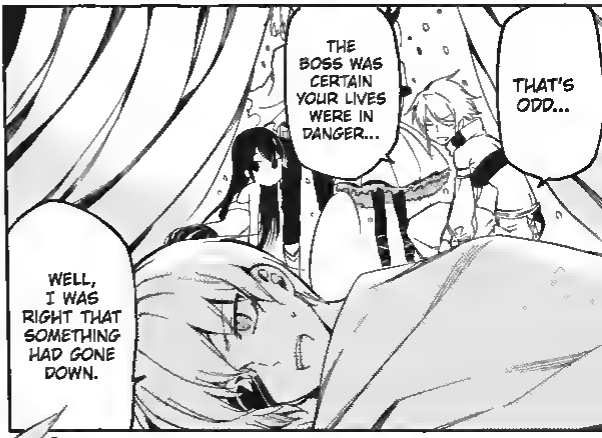
IT MUST BE...THAT TATSUMI AND MINE ARE IN DANGER.
I HAVE A GUT FEELING.
GASA (BOLT)
ガシャ
!?

WE'RE BACK.

ACTU-ALLY, TATSUMI AND I...
WE'RE A COUPLE NOW.



SO YOU WON TATSUMI OVER, EH, MINE ...?
I JUST RECEIVED WORD THAT THE REVOLUTIONARY ARMY IS ON THE MOVE.

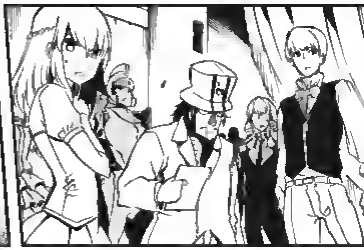

THE BOSS WAS CERTAIN YOUR LIVES WERE IN DANGER...
THAT'S ODD...
WELL, I WAS RIGHT THAT SOMETHING HAD GONE DOWN.

THE TIMING IS PERFECT.
ONCE WE GET BACK TO THE CAPITAL, WE'LL BE BUSY WITH OUR NEXT MISSION.

LIMATORA THEATER
THE CAPITAL
HEYYYY!
PIRA (PNIP)
WILD HUNT

WE'RE THE SECRET POLICE, WILD HUNT.
EVER HEAR OF US?

I HEAR THEY WERE BROUGHT IN RECENTLY TO REPLACE THE JAEGERS AFTER THEIR NUMBERS DROPPED.
WILD HUNT ...



WHAT CAN WE DO FOR YOU?
Y... YES.
UM ..

TH...
THAT'S NOT TRUE AT ALL!
WE HEARD YOU GUYS PERFORM PLAYS THAT CRITICIZE THE EMPIRE.
SO WE CAME TO CHECK IT OUT.
WE WON'T KNOW THAT UNLESS WE DO A LITTLE INVESTIGATING, NOW, WILL WE?
HUH?
UM...
DOSH (THUMP)
IT'S NOT MUCH, BUT...

YOU CAN'T CONTROL ME WITH YOUR MONEY.

KILL HIM.
OOF!

OH!
GRAB

EEEEEEEK!
AAH!
D-DIRECTOR!
DAN (THUD)
I'M THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SON.
PITA (STOP)
OH!?
YOU'RE FIGHTING BACK?
BA (CHARGE)
HOW DARE YOU...!?
IF YOU'RE OKAY WITH THAT, THEN COME AT ME.
RESISTING ME MEANS DISOBEYING MINISTER OF STATE HONEST.

SU (SWF)
ALL RIGHTY, THEN.
IT'S OUR TURN TO PERFORM A THOROUGH SEARCH.
NEENER! NEENER! COW-ARDLY COW-ARDS! ♫
HA!
COWARDS ...
IA (TSU)

OKAA
I'M GOING TO HAVE YOU ALL!
THEN I'LL GET ALL THE CUTE BOYS!!
OH HO! TYPICAL THEAT-RICAL COMPANY.
LOOK AT ALL THESE CUTIES. I CAN'T GET ENOUGH...
!?
EEEEEEEK!
HOW BORING...
AWW...

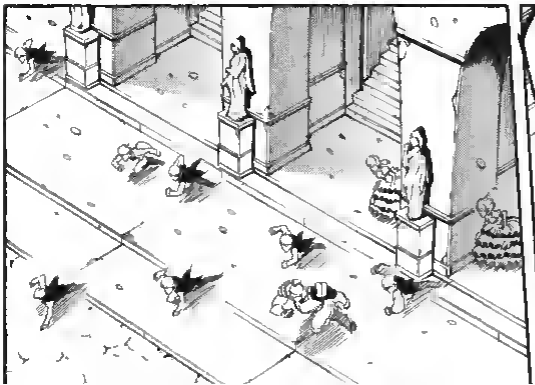
AAAAH!
DO (STOMP)
A LITTLE BOY!
THERE'S A LITTLE BOY!!
EEP!
DON (SHOVE)
DOSHA (SHOVE)
HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!
AHH, YES ...
YOU'RE A PURE ANGEL.
IT'S ALMOST TOO MUCH TO TAKE.
HEE HEH HEH...
DOES IT HURT?
GAH ...!
NNH ...

P-PLEASE STOP!
I WON'T LET YOU!
I'LL LICK YOU ALL BETTER.
YOU REEK !!
BAKI CRUNCH
DON'T TALK TO ME YOU, YOU PIECE OF FILTH!
YURI GLOOM
STAY BACK!
EE!!

DON'T MESS WITH ME, LOWLIFE! SCUM-BAG!
YOU SHIT-STAIN OF A HAG!
DOGO (BASH)
AWW! NOW MY HANDS ARE ALL DIRTY!
ZUDO (CRUSH)
GUCH (GLOREK)

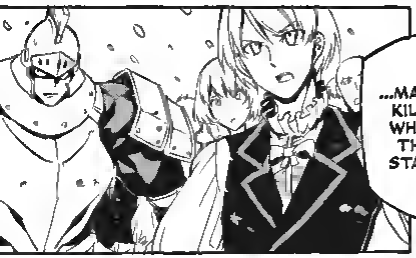
LET'S GO SOME-PLACE WHERE YOU AND I CAN BE ALONE.

HFF ...
HAAH
HAAH
FWOO! THERE.
I CAN'T AVOID INTER-RUPTIONS IF I STAY OUT HERE.



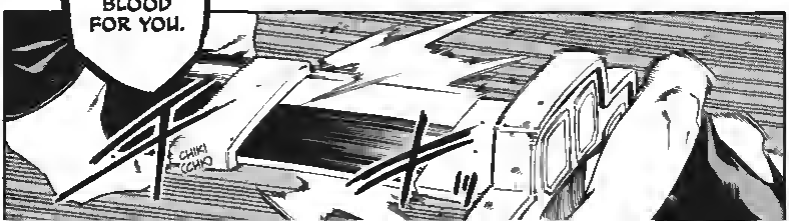
DA (TAP)

ZA
(SHU)


...MAY BE KILLED WHERE THEY STAND.

THOSE WHO FLEE IN THE MIDDLE OF AN INSPEC-TION...

KOU-SE-TSU ...
I HAVE A FRESH MEAL OF BLOOD FOR YOU.


CHIKI
(CHIK)

SLASH
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SLASH

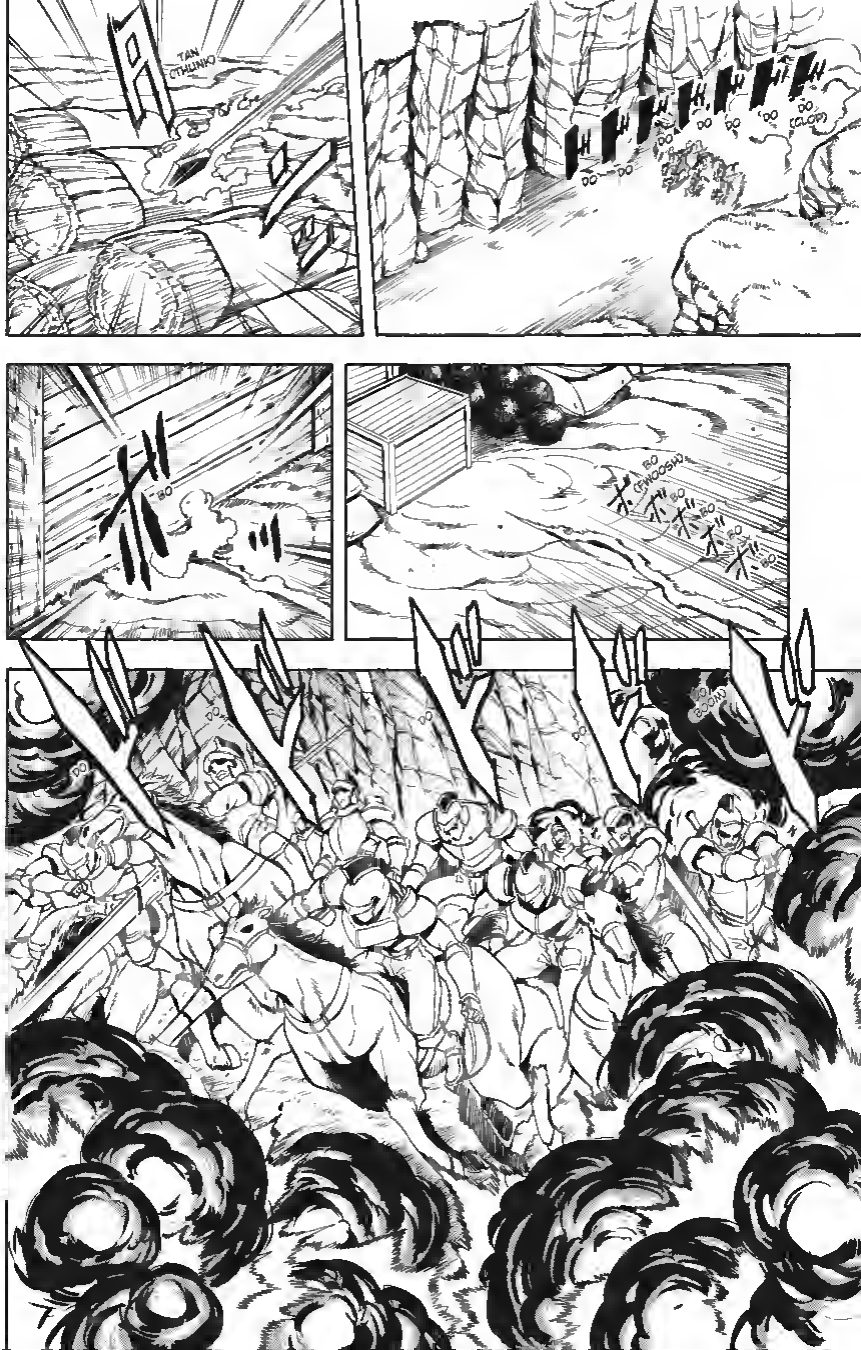
I MUST SAY, THIS COUNTRY IS SPLENDID.
KILL
I GET TO KILL AS MUCH AS I WANT.
I'M GLAD I DECIDED TO FOLLOW MASTER SHULA.
GWAAAH!
AAAGH!
GA CHOK
GIRI
GISHI
GISHI
GISHI CREAK

THIS IS GREAT.
I'LL HAVE TO INVES-TIGATE FURTHER.
GI (CREAK)
OOH ...
SO TIGHT AND FIRM.
GI
GI
HUH?
SHE BROKE ALREADY.
GAKU (SLUMP)
HUMANS REALLY DO MAKE THE BEST TOYS.
IT'S FUN TO SEE THEM REACT WHEN I PLAY WITH THEM.
SU (SWIP)
GESHI (KICK)
GUSHA (SMASH)

I THINK THERE'S STILL LOTS MORE FUN TO BE HAD IN THE CAPITAL.
THANKS TO THAT "EMPIRE'S STRONGEST" CHICK...
...TAKING CARE OF THOSE INVADERS IN THE WEST.
WEST-ERN REGION OF THE EMPIRE
NEAR THE BORDER WITH THE IN-VADING TRIBES.

SHIN
ZUCHU (SLASH)
NOW THIS IS WHAT I CALL A BATTLE!!
HA HA HA!

(CLOP)
RE-TREAT!
RE-TREAT!
THERE'S A MOUNTAIN TO THE REAR! WE'LL REGROUP THERE!!
I... I NEVER EXPECTED THEM TO BE THIS STRONG ...!
SO THIS IS THE EMPIRE'S STRONGEST, GENERAL ESDEATH ...!
GOOD.
THE MINUTE THEY ENTER THE RAVINE, CUT OFF THEIR ESCAPE ROUTE AND LIGHT THE FUSE!
GEN-ERAL!
THE ENEMY IS FLEEING TO PRECISELY WHERE WE CALCU-LATED.
LET'S MIX IT UP AND DO SOMETHING NEW WITH THESE WESTERNERS— BURN THEM WITH A FULL LOAD OF GUNPOWDER.
I BURIED THE NORTHERN TRIBES ALIVE.


TAN (THUNK)
(CLOP)
(SWOOSH)
BOOM

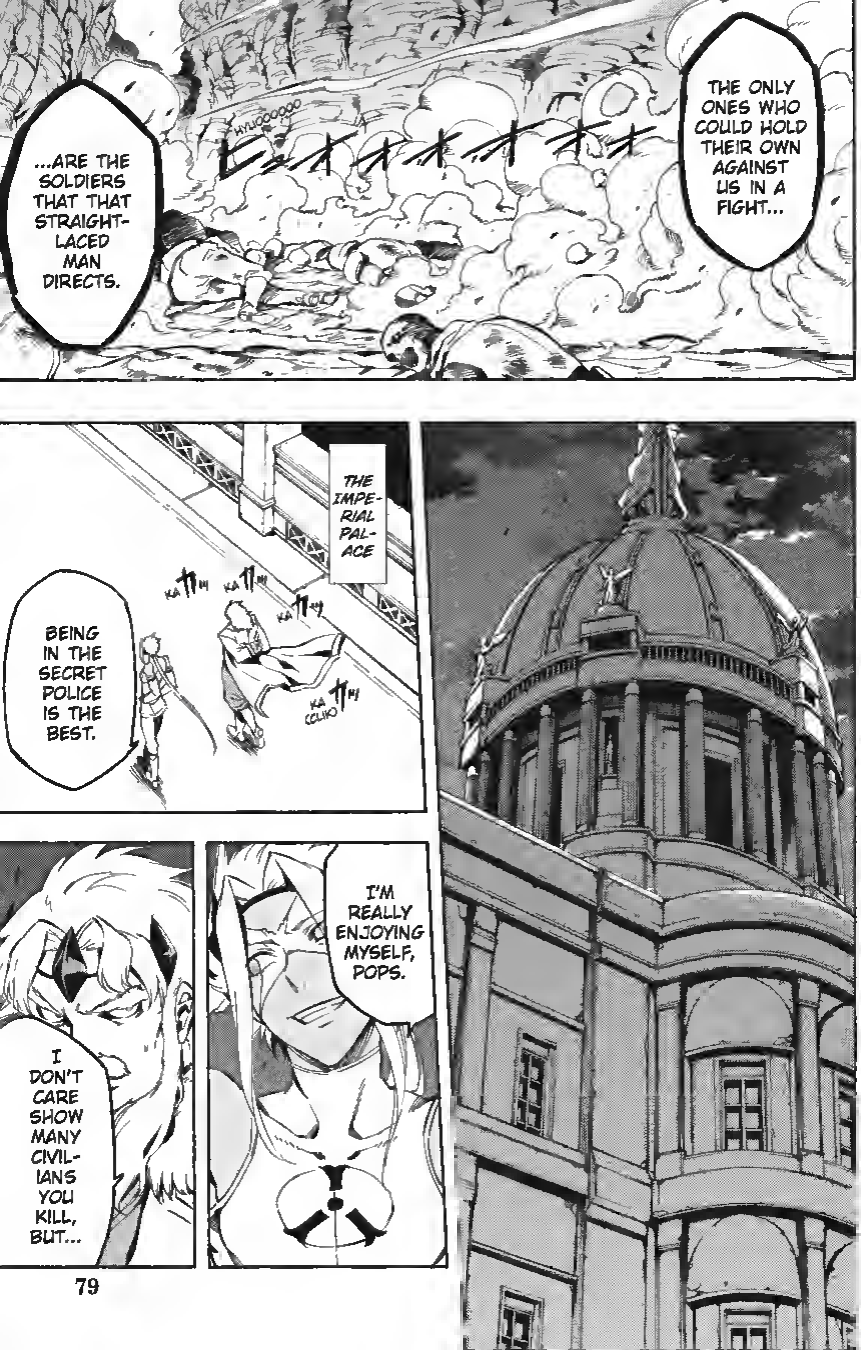
GYAAAAAAH!
HEH HEH HEH...
HARD TO BELIEVE THIS IS THE ARMY THAT GAVE THE IMPERIAL ARMY SUCH A THRASHING
GYAAAAAAAAH!
GYAAAAAAAAH!
TRAMPLING DOWN AND DEFEATING THOSE WITH CONFIDENCE IN THEIR ABILITIES...
IT HAS SUCH A LOVELY RING TO IT.
...IS WHAT MAKES LIFE WORTH LIVING!

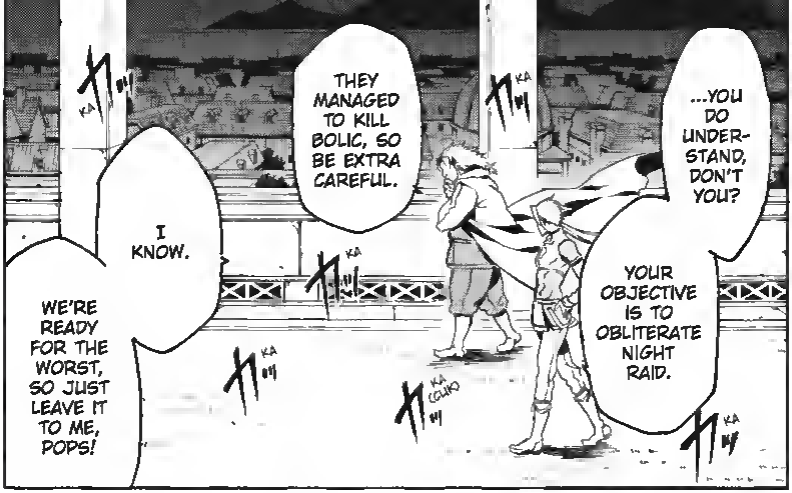
THOSE BLASTED REBELS ARE EFFICIENT.
I SEE...
THE SOUTHERN-MOST REBEL ARMY HAS TAKEN CASTLE KEILIN IN A BLOODLESS BATTLE!
GENERAL!
NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL!

IF WE CAN JUST PRESS BACK THE WESTERN TRIBES, IT SHOULD BE FINE.
IT'S ALL BEEN ORCHES-TRATED TO GO THAT WAY.

RIOTS ARE BREAKING OUT ALL OVER. THINGS AREN'T LOOKING GOOD.
THE INVADERS ARE RALLY-ING FOR ANOTHER ATTACK

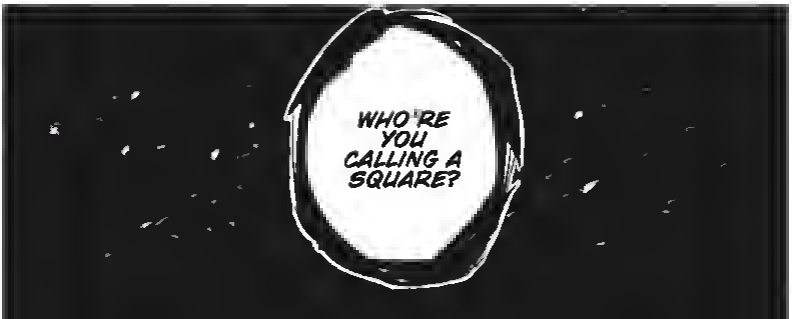
...WE HAVE THAT STRAIGHT-LACED FELLOW IN THE CAPITAL TO FALL BACK ON...
...AND IF WORSE COMES TO WORST...


...ARE THE SOLDIERS THAT THAT STRAIGHT-LACED MAN DIRECTS.
THE ONLY ONES WHO COULD HOLD THEIR OWN AGAINST US IN A FIGHT...
THE IMPE-RIAL PAL-ACE
BEING IN THE SECRET POLICE IS THE BEST.
I'M REALLY ENJOYING MYSELF, POPS.
I DON'T CARE SHOW MANY CIVIL-IANS YOU KILL, BUT...

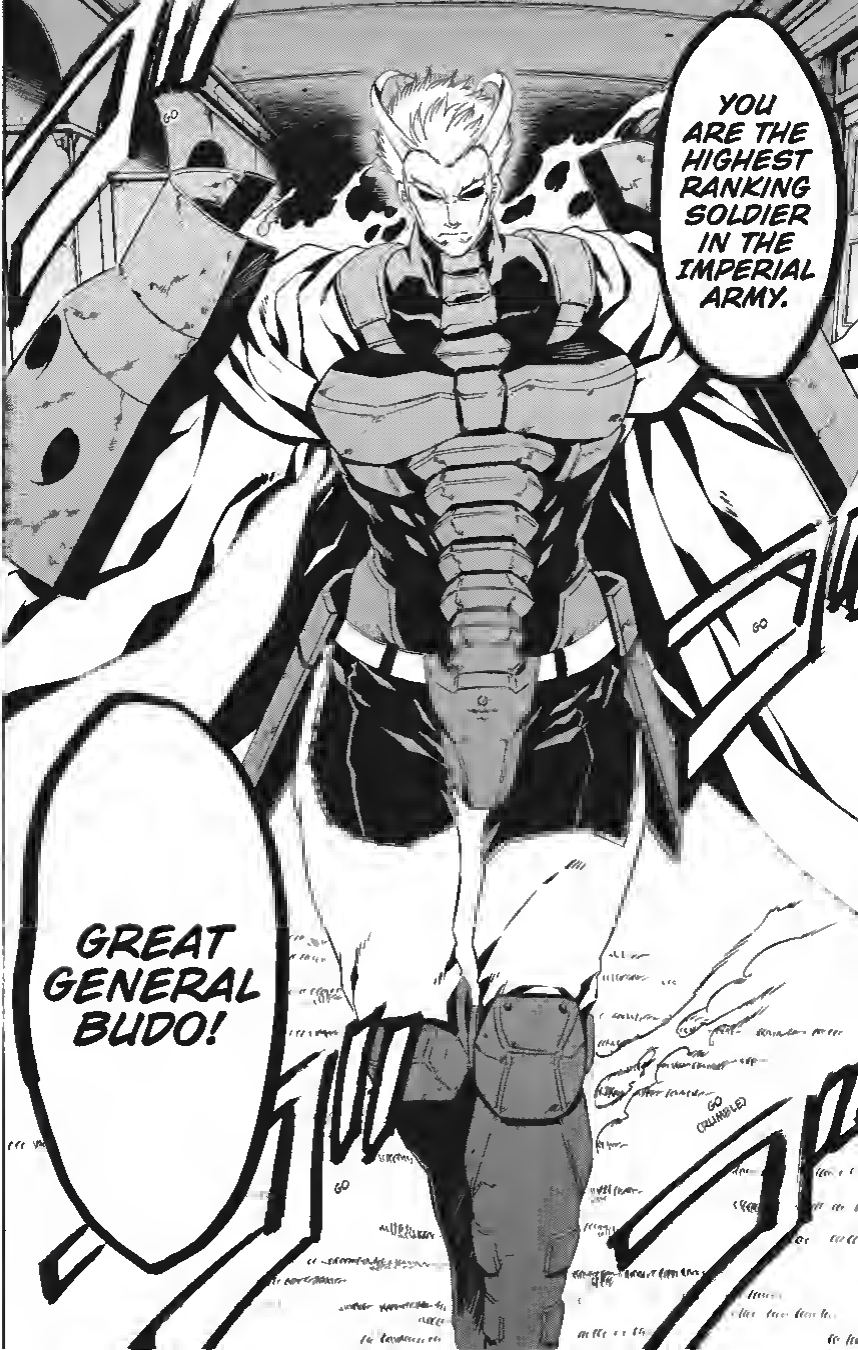

THEY MANAGED TO KILL BOLIC, SO BE EXTRA CAREFUL.
...YOU DO UNDER-STAND, DON'T YOU?
I KNOW.
YOUR OBJECTIVE IS TO OBLITERATE NIGHT RAID.
WE'RE READY FOR THE WORST, SO JUST LEAVE IT TO ME, POPS!

IF THEY REACH THE CAPITAL, WE'LL INTERCEPT THEM, BUT...
MORE IMPORTANTLY, WHAT'RE WE GOING TO DO ABOUT THE REBEL ARMY TO THE SOUTH?
...AREN'T WE SHORT ON TROOPS?

WE'LL HAVE THAT STRAIGHT-LACED SQUARE LEAD THE IMPERIAL GUARDS TO THE FRONT LINES.
THERE'S NO NEED TO WORRY ABOUT THAT.
COME NOW.


WHO RE YOU CALLING A SQUARE?

GACHA GLANG
... WELL, WELL.
IT'S RARE TO SEE YOU AWAY FROM THE TRAINING GROUNDS.
I SUPPOSE THAT MEANS THE SITUATION MUST BE PRETTY DIRE.


YOU ARE THE HIGHEST RANKING SOLDIER IN THE IMPERIAL ARMY.
GREAT GENERAL BUDO!

SHUT IT, MINISTER.
YOU CAN BE SURE I'LL SNUFF OUT THE REBELS, BUT...
...ONCE THAT'S OVER, I'M DOING A MAJOR CLEAN-UP RIGHT HERE IN THE CAPITAL.

Akame ga KILL!
Rough Sketches 2

THE CAPITAL'S IMPERIAL PALACE
AS YOU ALL KNOW...
THE MEETING ROOM
...THE REBEL ARMY HAS BROKEN THROUGH OUR BARRIERS IN A BLOODLESS BATTLE.
DO WE HAVE ANY GOOD IDEAS...
GICHI (CRIP)
...FOR HOW TO DEAL WITH THIS THREAT?
SHIT! ANOTHER BLOODLESS SURRENDER...
CURSE THOSE SPINELESS VICEROYS.
WHAT ARE THE REGIONAL ARMIES DOING?
HAVE THEM FOREGO PUTTING DOWN THE RIOTS AND FOCUS ON THE REBEL ARMY!
THE REBEL ARMY HAS ALREADY HAD COUNTLESS RUN-INS WITH THE LOCAL UNITS..
...BUT THE REBEL ARMY IS LED BY FORMER GENERALS WHO ARE NOT ONLY SEASONED SOLDIERS BUT ALSO EQUIPPED WITH TEIGU.

THEY HAVE BLACK MARINE
..EXTASE...
...AND SCREAM TOO...!
THEY KEEP DRIVING US AWAY.
SO THE MAJORITY OF THE TEIGU THAT WENT MISSING ENDED UP IN THE HANDS OF THE REBEL ARMY.
MOSO (SHIFT) MOSO
もそもそ
WE UNDER-ESTIMATED THEM.
ALL THIS TALKING IN CIRCLES...
HAAH...
...IS MAKING MY LOSE MY APPETITE.
THIS SITUA-TION IS SO CRITI-CAL, AND YET...
...DAD'S ACTING LIKE HE'S GOT ALL THE TIME IN THE WORLD...

GASHA (CLANG)
EVERY-BODY.
DON'T PANIC.
GASH!
...IS IT BECAUSE WE HAVE...
...THE SUPREME TEIGU THAT'S BEEN PASSED DOWN THROUGH THE IMPERIAL FAMILY?
YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE THE BEST PEOPLE WE'VE GOT.
OOH!!

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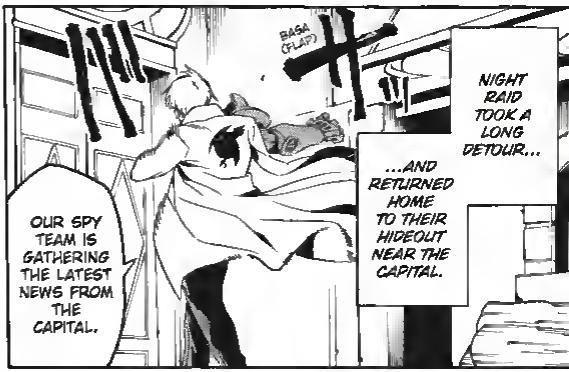
...WE'VE GOT THIS GUY TOO.
AND...
DON BLOND
IF THE REBEL ARMY GETS CLOSE ENOUGH TO THE CAPITAL ...
...MY IMPERIAL GUARDS AND I WILL CRUSH THEM.
FEAR NOT.
THERE WAS NEVER ANY NEED TO PANIC.
YEAH ...!
IF THE GREAT GENERAL STEPS IN, WE CAN WIN!
THAT IS REASSURING.
GIRO GLARES

どよ
DOYO (MURMUR)
MILITARY OFFICERS SHOULD NOT MEDDLE IN GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS...
I WAS BORN INTO A MILITARY HOUSEHOLD AND HAVE UPHELD MY FAMILY'S TEACHINGS.
BUT I CANNOT REMAIN SILENT ON THIS MATTER ANY LONGER.
YOU PATHETIC LOUSES.
AFTER I'VE WIPED OUT THE REBEL ARMY...
...I BELIEVE THE CORRUPTION THAT HAS WARPED THE GOVERNMENT'S STABILITY MUST BE PULLED UP FROM THE ROOTS.

I DON'T KNOW WHO YOU'RE REFERRING TO, BUT THEY'D DO WELL TO PREPARE THEMSELVES FOR WHAT'S COMING.
OOOH, VERY SCARY.
NO MATTER WHO'S INVOLVED.
I TRUST YOU AGREE.
GUCHI (GRIP)
I REALLY DID COME BACK HOME AT THE PERFECT TIME!!
YET ANOTHER INTERESTING DEVELOP-MENT.

GACHA (KCHAK)
IT'LL BE A FEW DAYS BEFORE WE HEAR FROM THEM.
WE'RE NOT LEAVING THE HIDEOUT UNTIL THEN


BASA (FLAT)
NIGHT RAID TOOK A LONG DETOUR...
...AND RETURNED HOME TO THEIR HIDEOUT NEAR THE CAPITAL.
OUR SPY TEAM IS GATHERING THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL.

YOU HEARD HER.
NOW ALL I CAN DO IS THROW BACK SOME DRINKS TO RECOVER FROM ALL THAT TRAVEL.

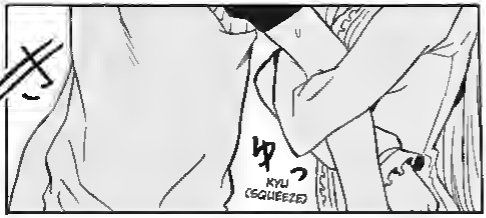
BATAN (SHUT)

I THINK THERE'S MORE WAYS TO RECHARGE THAN THAT, DON'T YOU?
GO MAKE ME SOMETHING TO SNACK ON.
HUGH (STEP)
YEAH, YEAH.
POPU (SCRATCH)
POPU
HM...
SU (STEP)
TATSUMI... HAVE YOU GROWN?
NH?
YOU THINK ?
GU (GRIP)

キュ
KYU (HUG?)
ゆっ
...CAN I THANK YOU...FOR WHAT YOU DID FOR ME BACK THERE?
I KNOW IT'S A LITTLE LATE, BUT...
ムギュゥゥ
MUYUUUU (SQUIIISH)
WH-WHAT KIND OF THANKS —!?
HEY!
YOU KNOW...
...BACK WHEN ESDEATH WAS CUTTING ME UP IN THAT CATHEDRAL... I WAS PRETTY SCARED.
HUH...?

I'VE GOT A GIRL-FRIEND, REMEMBER!?
HM?
SO?
THAT'S IRRELE-VANT.
WHA-AAAA ...!!?
I THOUGHT I HEARD VOICES.
GHAAA (HISS)
YOU GUYS !!
HATAN (SLAM)
GET OFF OF HIM!
NOW, NOW.
I JUST THOUGHT I'D HAVE A LITTLE FUN WITH HIM...
TATSUMI'S GROWN INTO SUCH A FINE YOUNG MAN.
HEY, DON'T !!
ZUKA
ZUKA
ZUKA (STOMP)
GUU (GROWL)

BATAN (SHUT)
GUI (SHOVE)
TCH, PARTY POOPER.
GO AND PLAY WITH AKAME!
TATSUMI'S MINE!
GUI

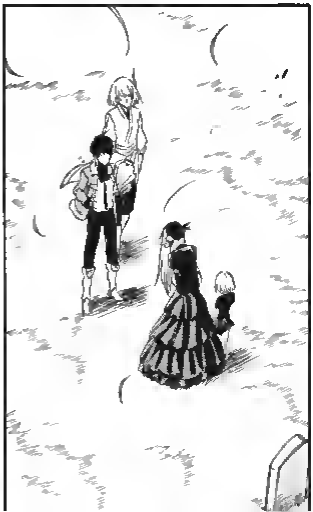

KYU (SQUEEZE)

DON'T LET YOURSELF GET OVERWHELMED! STAND UP FOR YOURSELF WHEN SHE TRIES TO PULL THAT KIND OF STUFF ON YOU!!
YOU HAVE NO IDEA HOW TO ACT WHEN YOU'VE GOT A GIRLFRIEND!
ZUN
ZUN
ZUN (MARCH)
ZUN
S...
SORRY.

SHEESH.
I CAN'T TAKE MY EYES OFF YOU FOR A SECOND, SO I'M STAYING RIGHT HERE.
O... OKAY.

...COMES HERE EVERY DAY...
BOLS'S FAMILY...

ARE YOU GUYS GETTING BY ALL RIGHT?
UM...



...GENERAL ESDEATH HAS GIVEN US MORE THAN ENOUGH.
FOR HIS WORK WITH THE JAEGERS ...

SHE'S LOOKING OUT FOR US IN MORE WAYS THAN WE'RE EVEN AWARE OF.
WHATEVER MONEY HIS HIGHNESS PAYS HER SHE SENDS TO HER TROOPS.
THE CAPTAIN GAVE HER SUPPORT ...?

...IT'S NO WONDER HER MEN HAVE A FIGHTING SPIRIT UNLIKE ANY-ONE ELSE.
THE WAY THE GENERAL EVEN LOOKS AFTER THE BEREAVED FAMILIES OF HER FALLEN SOLDIERS...

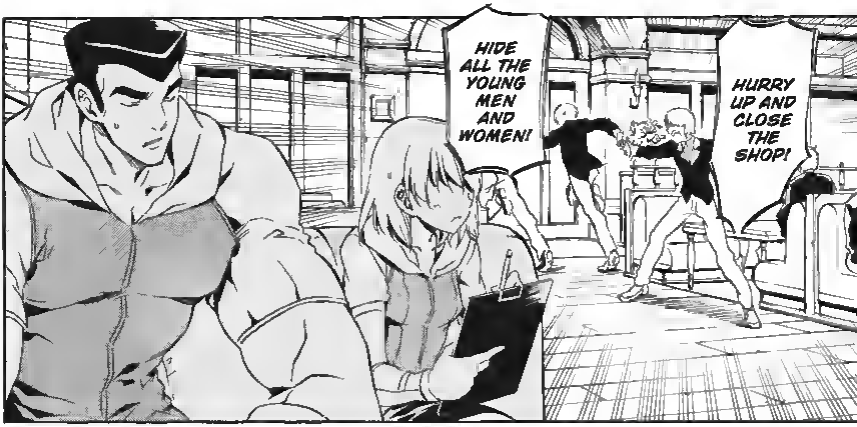
I SEE...
IF THERE'S EVER ANYTHING YOU NEED, PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO TELL US.

AND THERE'S ALSO OUR SAV-INGS.
I'LL BE SURE TO GIVE OUR CHILD A GOOD LIFE.

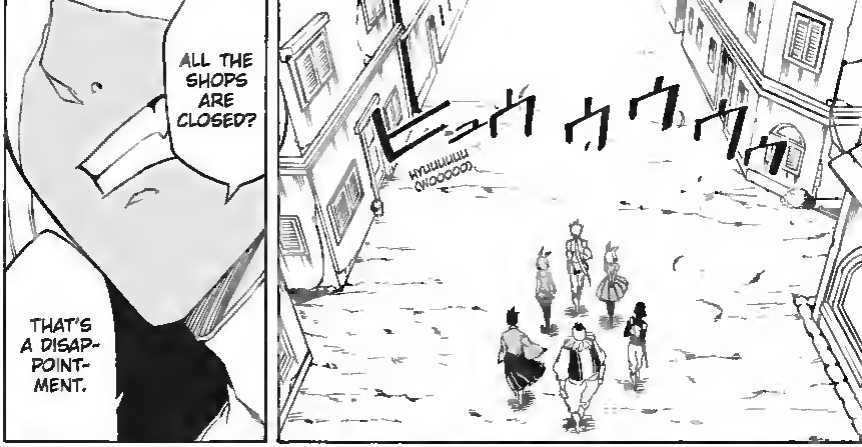
?
NO MATTER WHAT, PLEASE STAY CLEAR OF THE CAPITAL CENTER.
AND ONE MORE THING.
OH.
WE'VE GOT SOME UNRULY GROUPS ACTING UP RIGHT NOW.
RESTAU-RANT NOIR
THE CAPI-TAL

THE CAPITAL IS IN THE PITS THANKS TO THOSE RUFFIANS...
NOT TO MENTION ...
...THE UPRISINGS HAPPENING ALL OVER...
DON (SLAM)

!
HEY! THEY'RE HERE!
ARE YOU REFERRING TO THE NEWLY FORMED PEACE AND ORDER UNIT...?
RUFFI-ANS...?


HIDE ALL THE YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN!
HURRY UP AND CLOSE THE SHOP!

GACHA (LOCK ON)
BATAN (SHUT)
GARA (RATTLE)
GARA
GARA
GARA
ZA (SFX)
GUYS...
NO MATTER WHAT, DON'T SET FOOT OUTSIDE.
THEY'RE...
...THE SECRET POLICE. WILD HUNT...!
THEY'RE A RUTHLESS GANG LED BY THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SON, WHO'S USING HIS POSITION TO DO WHATEVER HE WANTS.


ALL THE SHOPS ARE CLOSED?
THAT'S A DISAP-POINT-MENT.
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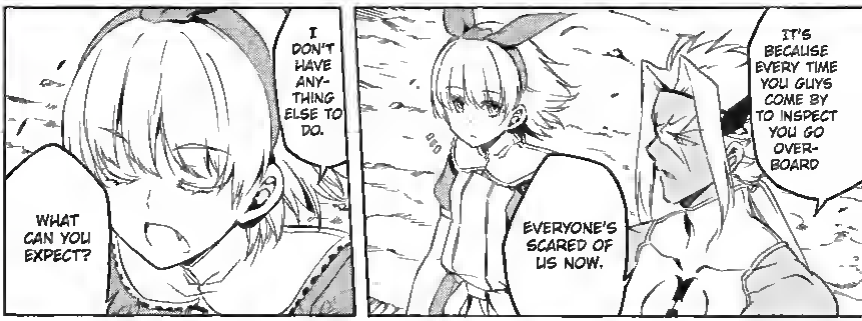
HYUUUUUU ONOOOOO


I DON'T HAVE ANY-THING ELSE TO DO.
WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT?
IT'S BECAUSE EVERY TIME YOU GUYS COME BY TO INSPECT YOU GO OVER-BOARD
EVERYONE'S SCARED OF US NOW.

SFX: GUSHA (RUSTLE)
IT WOULD'VE BEEN SOMETHING TO SEE HIS SCIENCE...
...AND YOUR ALCHEMY COME TOGETHER.
ANYWAY, I CAME TO THE CAPITAL TO MEET THE SCIENTIST STYLISH!
SORRY, TOOTS!
SORRY.
BUT I DIDN'T KNOW HE'D BE OUT OF THE PICTURE ALREADY.

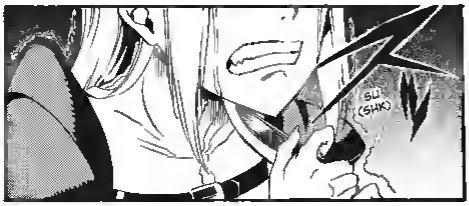
WILD HUNT ...!
ZA (GASHU)
HOW DARE YOU DO THAT TO THE MASTER AND HIS FAMILY...!?
WE STUDENTS OF THE TEMPLE OF THE IMPERIAL FIST WILL DEFEAT YOU, EVEN IF WE MUST FACE THE LAW!
KOU-SETSU ...
MUST BE FRIENDS OF THE TOYS WE BROKE THE OTHER DAY.
LOOKS LIKE IT'S MEAL-TIME.
GAHA (GAHO)
I LIKE SEEING SUCH LOYAL SOLDIERS.
GUYS, LEAVE THEM TO ME.
ZA

ZU (SEETHE)
COME NOW.
SO COME AT ME.
I'LL TAKE YOU ON ALL BY MYSELF.
ZU (SEETHE)
RA (CLANG)
GO (WHOOSH)

DO (THUD)
DO (CRASH)
DO
DO
DO

HA HA!
GO CHANO
WEAK! SO WEEE-EAK!

GATA
GATA (TRAILS)
GATA
GATA


GU (SHIK)

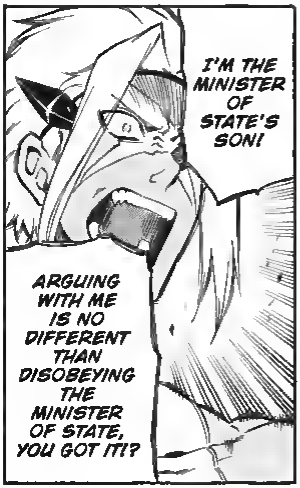
GASHI (CRUNCH)
WHOA, THERE.
!?

I'M NOT EVEN USING A TEIGU!
HEY!

N...
ALL RIGHT! WE'LL TORTURE YOU TO DEATH FOR OBSTRUCTING TRAFFIC!
I'M GOING TO HAVE YOU GROVEL AND CRAWL ON YOUR KNEES NAKED FOR ME.
THEN YOU'LL DIE.
NOOOOOOOO!
GH!
DA
(CRASH)
DA
DA
DA
DA
DA

SHIT!
BA DELOCK!
THEY DID IT AGAIN...!

がぶっ
SFX: GABU (CHOMP)
.....
YO.
IF IT ISN'T THE USELESS JAEGERS.
YOU GUYS WERE TOO LATE.
SO WE SENTENCED THESE TRAITORS TO DEATH FOR YOU.


I'M THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SON!
ARGUING WITH ME IS NO DIFFERENT THAN DISOBEYING THE MINISTER OF STATE, YOU GOT IT!?

THIS ...
THIS IS OVER-DOING IT.
IT'S LIKE YOU PUT ON A SPECTACLE FOR EVERYONE...!

WELL!?
.....!

We can't oppose the Minister of State's forces head-on.
Just put up with it

KUH ...! I—

GU GROWD
WE'RE SORRY FOR THE TROUBLE WE'VE CAUSED.
TEAM WILD HUNT.
GU GROWD
.....!
AREN'T YOU GOING TO BOW TOO?
MY SINCEREST APOLOGIES.
...FOR SHOOTING MY MOUTH OFF...
I'M SORRY ...

SHIT...
ALL I CAN DO IS GRIN AND BEAR IT...!?
WE'LL CLEAN UP THIS MESS.
YOU SURE KNOW HOW TO BUTTER A GUY UP.
I LIKE YOU.

.....
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
WHAT WAS THAT ...?
THEY'RE NO BETTER THAN THUGS.
NO-BODY'S TALKING ABOUT WHAT'S REALLY GOING ON.
WE DON'T HAVE A CHOICE.
IF WE GO UP AGAINST THEM, WE'LL ALL BE KILLED..

IN THAT CASE...
...WE SHOULD JUST PUT UP WITH IT AND WAIT FOR THE STORM TO PASS...
IT'S BETTER THAN ALL OF US DYING.

I'D HEARD THE STORIES, BUT... I NEVER KNEW THEY WERE THIS VICIOUS...!
WE'VE GOT TO REPORT THIS!!

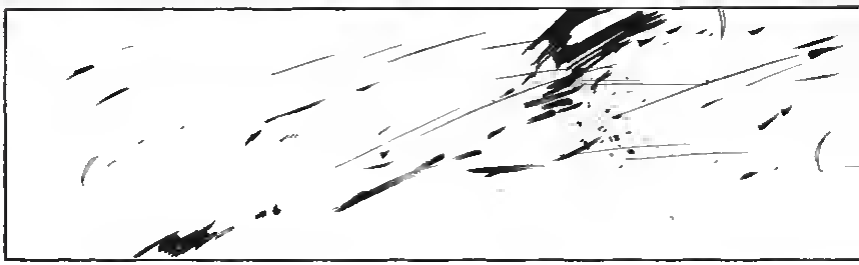
WELL, WELL ...
THIS IS A SUR-PRISE.
A BEAUTIFUL WIDOW WHO ALWAYS VISITS HER LATE HUSBAND'S GRAVE.
IT'S JUST AS THE RU-MORS SAID.
SOMETIMES IT'S WORTH COMING TO THESE LONELY OUTSKIRTS OF THE CITY TOO.
UM.
EX-CUSE ME.
IS... IS THERE SOMETHING... I CAN HELP YOU WITH?
THERE SURE IS.

I HEREBY APPOINT YOU OUR NEW TOYS.
CONSIDER IT AN HONOR.
YOU'VE CAUGHT THE ATTENTION OF THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SON.

ST...
STOP !!
DON'T BOTHER MY MOMMY!

AAA-AAAA-AAH!
DO DO (TUMP)
DO
WHAT A CUTE LITTLE GIIIIIRL!
EEK!

ZA (GTEP)
ZA
HUFF!
LET'S HOLD A LOVEY-DOVEY WEDDING ...
...RIGHT HERE IN FRONT OF YOUR DEAD DADDY'S GRAVE!!
HUFF!
HUFF!
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA
ZA

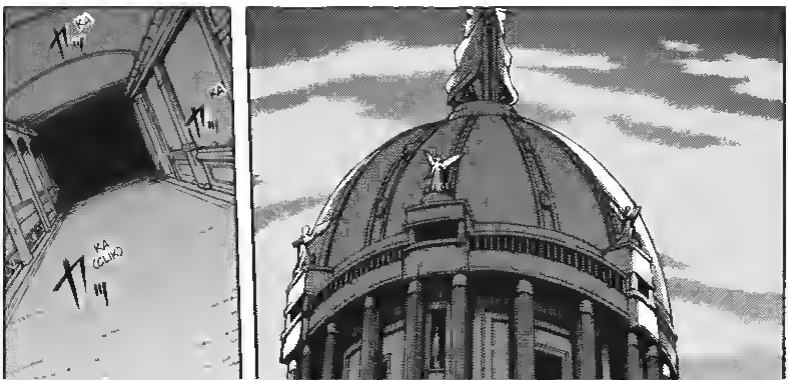


... BUT ...
... BOTH OF THEM ARE...
YOHD (STAGGER)

I SUG-GEST YOU DON'T LOOK.
GU (GRAB)

THEY DIED AFTER ANOTHER OF WILD HUNT'S "INSPECTIONS" ...
THAT'S WHAT WE HAVE HERE.

THEY WERE DOWNRIGHT SAVAGE IN HOW THEY DEALT WITH THEM.


KA
KA
KA (CLICK)

KUMASON

DAAN
(SLAM)

AM I SUPPOSED GRIN AND BEAR THIS TOO...!?

DAMN IT...!
DAMN IT...!!!

WAVE.
OH...

...EARLIER...
...AT BOLS'S GRAVE... I SAW...
YOU LOOK SO WORRIED.
WHAT'S THE MATTER ...?
...KU-ROME.
KA
KA COUKO
WE MEET AGAIN.
COWARDLY LITTLE JAEGERS.
WELL, WELL!
.....!!
THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SON...

HUH!?
GU CYAHHO
!?
WHAT'S THIS?
I DIDN'T REALIZE THERE WAS SUCH A BEAUTY ON THE JAEGERS' TEAM! I NEVER GOT A GOOD LOOK AT YOU, SO I NEVER KNEW.
OH HO...
ARE YOU THE TYPE ENHANCED WITH DRUGS?
THAT SETTLES IT!
I APPOINT YOU MY NEXT TOY.
INTERESTING.
WHAT JOY!
I'VE NEVER DONE IT WITH A JUNKIE.
PERO CLICK
IT SHOULD BE FUN.

COME WITH ME.
HUH!?
YOU GOT SOME-THING TO SAY!?
I'M THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SON—
HEY!

BAKI
GERAÇÃO
LA
CRASH!

GET YOUR DIRTY HANDS ...
BA-DUMP
...OFF MY TEAM-MATE.

I'M SORRY, RUN...
CAP-TAIN...
I...
...COULDN'T TAKE IT ANYMORE.
I CAN'T TURN A BLIND EYE ANY LONGER.

THE JAEGERS WILL HUNT DOWN THOSE WHO DISTURB THE PEACE!!
EVEN IF THAT MEANS THE MINISTER OF STATE'S OWN SON!!!

BAM-HUIKU CRUSH
THAT WASN'T A BAD PUNCH, EH?
OOOH.
SUCHA (CLICK)
YOU'VE JUST EARNED YOURSELF THE DEATH PENALTY.
THE GREAT SHULA ...
...IS GOING TO TEAR YOU TO SHREDS.

YOU DEFIED ME...
...AND INTERRUPTED MY FUN...
YOU WON'T GET AWAY WITH IT.
CHAPTER 47
BOILED ALIVE.
BURNED, SHREDDED, AND THEN BURIED ...
OR MAYBE I'LL GIVE YOU THE FULL COURSE?
ZU (SEETHE)
CUT TO BITS.
WHICH WAY SHOULD YOU DIE?
THAT'S HOW...
CHÀ (CHK)
...YOU'VE KILLED COUNTLESS INNOCENT PEOPLE UP TILL NOW...

YOU WILD HUNT MEMBERS ...

... WON'T BE FOR-GIVEN ...
JAKA (KSHING)
YOU CAN'T BE!

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HOLD IT RIGHT THERE !!
!!
GYU (GRIP)
NO!
JUST LEAVE IT!
GO (RUMBLE)
YOU THINK YOU CAN ACT UP...
...IN MY PALACE AND GET AWAY WITH IT?
GO
GASHA (CLANG)
SENSE BLOOD-LUST IN THE AIR.

(SEETHE)
THE SENTENCE WILL BE CARRIED OUT BY MY VERY OWN ADRA-MELECH.
USE OF TEIGUS WILL BE MET WITH THE DEATH PENALTY, AND THERE'S NO USE ARGUING ABOUT IT.
SUCH BEHAVIOR IS UN-ACCEPT-ABLE.
ZU
ZU
ZU

YOU WANT TO GET REAS-SIGNED TO SHAM-BHALA?
TCH... SHUT UP, OLD MAN...

THIS GUY'S... GREAT GENERAL BUDO...?!

WAIT.

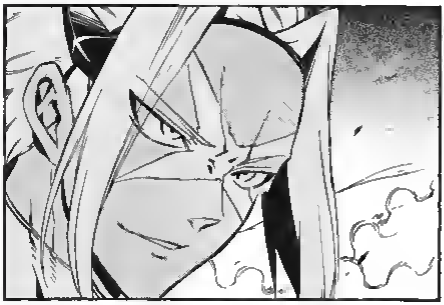
NOW, NOW, GREAT GENERAL.
THIS BOY AND I HAVE GONE TOO FAR TO TURN BACK NOW.
...I'D BETTER THINK ABOUT THE POTENTIAL FALLOUT.
IF I'M GOING TO KILL ESDEATH'S MINIONS...

NO HARD FEELINGS NO MATTER WHO WINS!
THEY SETTLE CONFLICTS THIS WAY IN THE ARMY, DON'T THEY?
THIS IS JUST AN IDEA, BUT...
...WHY DON'T WE SETTLE OUR FIGHT SOMEWHERE WHERE WE WON'T MAKE A MESS?

WHAT DO YOU HAVE TO SAY ABOUT IT?
...!

THAT'S JUST WHAT I WANT!!
ZU (SSHU)
FINE.
BARE-HANDED IT IS.
...WITH-OUT REPER-CUS-SIONS...
IF I COULD HUNT THIS GUY...
THAT IDIOT.
I'M ALREADY FREE OF CONSE-QUENCES, SO I CAN GO HOG WILD ON THIS GUY IF I WANT.
BAGA (PWAS)
COME WITH ME TO THE COURT-YARD.
THEN I'LL PRESIDE OVER THE MATCH.
...I KNOW. HE'S A STRONG OPPO-NENT.
BUT I'LL BE OKAY.
WAVE ...
HE'S—
GYU (GRIP)

THIS TIME I'LL SHOW YOU MY STRENGTH!!
JUST YOU WATCH.
TON
TON (TAP)



COME ON.
I'VE PISSED YOU OFF, HAVEN'T I?
CHOI (COOL)
CHOI
ALL RIGHT.
BEGIN.
DON (THUMP)
PUNCH ME LIKE YOU DID IN THE HALLWAY.
TAN (HOP)
TAN
TAN
BUT THIS TIME, DON'T HOLD BACK.
YOU DON'T HAVE TO TELL ME...
DAN (STOMP)
I'LL CRUSH YOU!!
DA (CRASH)

BO (WHOOSH)
BA (DODGE)
BAKI! (CRACK)
DO (WHAM)
DO
DO
DO
COME ON.
YOU'LL NEVER CRUSH ME THIS WAY, SEE?

BAKI!
ZA (SKID)
A REAL ATTACK...
ZA
ZA
ZA
...ACTUALLY MAKES CONTACT!
SA (LUNGE)
GISHI (GRIP)

THAT BARELY REGISTERED.
DO (SLAM)
DA (STOMP)
I DIDN'T REALIZE THAT YOUNG MAN WAS SO STRONG.
OH.
... WAIVE IS GOING TO WIN.

.....
WE DON'T KNOW THAT YET.

ZA (SKID)
YOUNG SHULA HAS DROPPED THE BOASTFUL ATTITUDE.

DO (THUMP)
GUO (TWIST)
DO (CRASH)
THE FACT THAT...
...I ACTUALLY HAVE TO FACE YOU AS A SERIOUS OPPONENT...
.....!
BAS-TARD!

I COM-MEND YOU.
COW-ARD!
DO (SIGH)
DAAN (SLAM)
GU (GRIP)
DO
DO
DO
DO
DO
DO
DO (THUD)

GUO (WHIRL)
SO (WHOOSH)
SHA (CRACK)
GOKI (CRACK)
IT SEEMS YOUNG MASTER SHULA...
...DIDN'T TRAVEL THE WORLD FOR NOTHING.

HE'S INCORPORATED A VARIETY OF MARTIAL ARTS FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD INTO HIS FIGHTING STYLE.
NOW FOR YOU TO VOMIT BLOOD!!
DON GIMOOHO

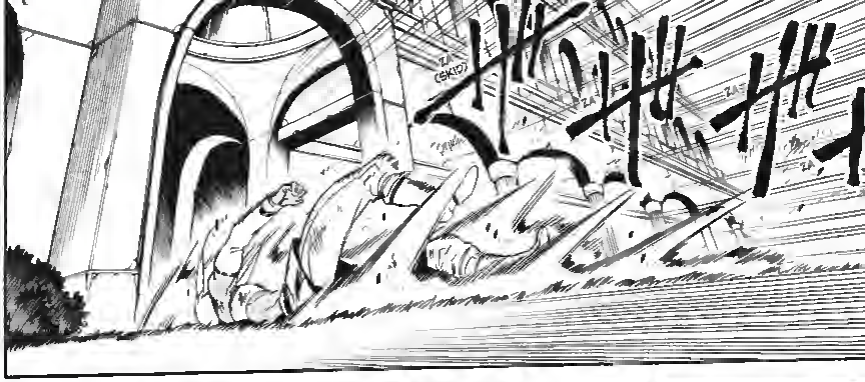
HE'S SO YOUNG AND YET ALREADY NEARING PEAK STRENGTH.
GAH!
ALL RIGHT. NOW THE FUN BEGINS.
I'M GOING TO DELIVER MY SIGNATURE PUNCH.

IF THAT'S THE CASE, THEN WAVE...
YORO (STAGGER)

...HAS ALREADY REACHED PEAK STRENGTH.
THE CAPTAIN HAS SEEN TO THAT.
HE'S ALREADY ...
...FIGURED OUT MY MOVES ...!?
GUH ...!
YOU ...!

OOOOOOAH!
CRASH
ENOUGH!
I'M NOT ABOUT TO LOSE TO A PIECE OF SHIT LIKE YOU!!
GLO (REE)

DOGO
CRASH!


GASP

.....HE'S OUT COLD.

SHUUUUU GRSHHH

I'LL NEVER LOSE...
...TO SOMEONE LIKE YOU.

GOSH! (WIPE

NO.
NOT YET.
YOUR NAME IS WAVE, RIGHT?
VICTORY GOES TO YOU.
I HAVEN'T BEATEN ON HIM ...
NEARLY ENOUGH...
ZA
ZA (ZSHO)
ZA
NOT UNTIL HE HAS AT LEAST A TASTE...
...OF THE PAIN HE'S PUT SO MANY PEOPLE THROUGH ...
GIRI (GRIT)
ZAN (SLOSHO)
!

BAKII
MACHIACKO
HE'S FAST ...!!
I JUST NAMED THE VICTOR!
DO NOT STAIN THE PALACE WITH BLOOD!!!
WAVE!
TA
DASHO

HEH!
THEY'RE BOTH VERY CAPABLE.
THEY SHOULD REDIRECT THAT VIGOR TO WIPING OUT THE REBEL ARMY...
I LOST...
...TO THAT GOON ...?
!
GRASP
CHOKE
SFX: PACHI (BLINK)

I'M GOING RIGHT NOW TO—
BA CHO!?
NOT ON MY LIFE!
GIRI (GRIT)
I'M ASHAMED OF YOU.
SU (SWF)
YOU LOST TO A COUNTRY BUMPKIN.
YOU'RE PATHETIC.
PAKU (CHOMP)
PAKU
YOU FORGOT YOUR MISSION AND PLAYED AROUND TOO MUCH, SHULA.
POPS !!
KUH ...!
PAKU

KA (CLICK)
KA
KA
YOU KNOW, TASTING DEFEAT CAN ALSO TEACH A VALUABLE LESSON.
DEFEAT NIGHT RAID, RECLAIM YOUR HONOR...
...AND WIPE THIS DISGRACE FROM YOUR RECORD.
KOTO (CLACK)
I'VE DISAP-POINTED MY FATHER!!
.....DAMN IT!
BAKI (SMASH)

THAT BASTARD.
WAVE, WAS IT?
I'LL WAIT FOR MY CHANCE TO KILL HIM OFF FOR SURE!!
THAT HURTS, KU-ROME!
AAH! THAT STINGS! IT STINGS!
THERE'S STILL MORE INJURIES FOR ME TO TEND TO.
DEAL WITH IT.
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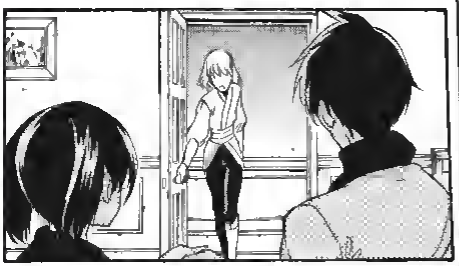
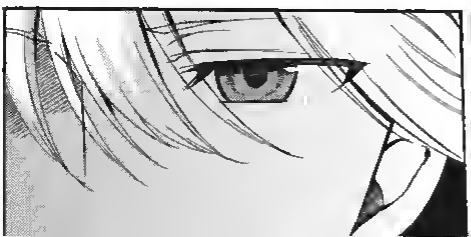
せ,SE
(WRAP)

BUT...
...YOU STILL BEAT HIM, WAVE.
...THAT BAS-TARD.
EVEN IF HE WASN'T THE MINISTER OF STATE'S SON, HE'S WICKED STRONG.
I'M SORRY I EVER CALLED YOU WEAK BEFORE.
I TAKE IT BACK.
YOU'RE VERY STRONG, WAVE!
I'M GLAD YOU FINALLY REALIZE THAT.
PORI
PORI (SCRATCH)
R... RIGHT.

WAVE!
GAGHA (CLATTER)
ARE YOU ALL RIGHT!?



YEAH.
I'M STILL ALIVE!



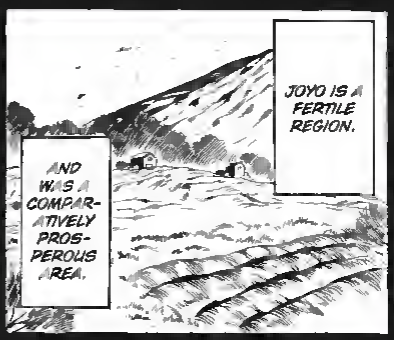
...AND THANK YOU FOR SAVING ME BACK THEN...
...KU-ROME.

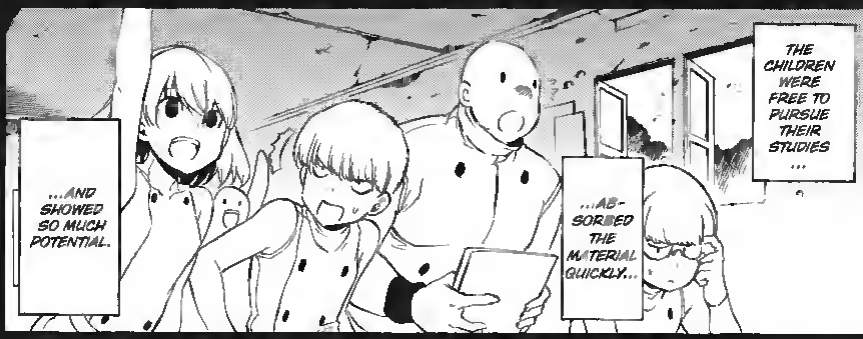
I FEEL I SHOULD APOLOGIZE...
I DIDN'T REALIZE I WAS INTERRUPTING SOMETHING...
HUH?
NO.
.....
IT'S NO PROBLEM. RIGHT, KUROME?
I MANAGED TO BEAT HIM, BUT...
...THAT DOESN'T CHANGE THE FACT THAT HIS DANGEROUS TEAM IS STILL ROAMING FREE OUT THERE...
SO THAT'S WHAT HAPPENED.
THAT THIS COUNTRY WOULD ALLOW A POLICE FORCE LIKE THAT TO EXIST...
...IS JUST CRAZY...
... VERY TRUE.
KOTO

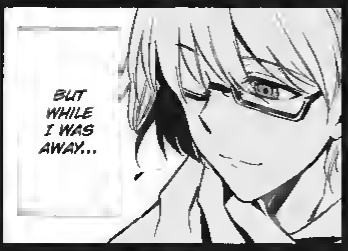
RUN. YOU'VE BEEN ACTING REALLY STRANGE LATELY.
.....
SOME-THING IS NOT RIGHT HERE.
ZU CRSHO
WHAT THEY'RE DOING IS WRONG AND NEEDS TO BE CORRECTED.
ZU CLOOM
.....IT'S NOT THAT BIG A DEAL.
CAN YOU TALK TO US ABOUT IT?
THEN YOU SHOULD BE OKAY DISCUSSING IT.

VERY WELL.
.....
...IN THE CENTRAL REGION OF THE EMPIRE...
...IN A SMALL FARMING VILLAGE NEAR JOYO...
LONG AGO...
...I TAUGHT CHILDREN.

IT WAS ALSO VERY PEACEFUL...
...A FACT THE RULING VICE-REINE WAS PROUD OF.


JOYO IS A FERTILE REGION.
AND WAS A COMPARATIVELY PROSPEROUS AREA.


THE CHILDREN WERE FREE TO PURSUE THEIR STUDIES...
...AND SHOWED SO MUCH POTENTIAL.
...ABSORBED THE MATERIAL QUICKLY...


BUT WHILE I WAS AWAY...

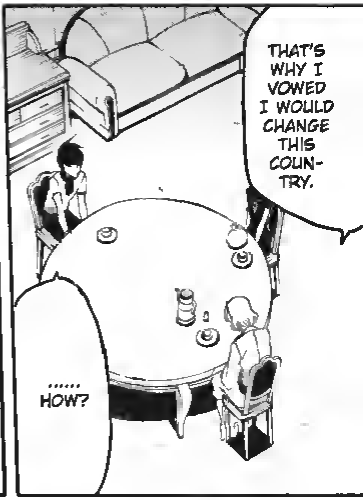
...A DEGENERATE...
...KILLED EACH AND EVERY ONE OF THE CHILDREN.
BUT THE GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL OF JOYO...
...WISHED TO PROTECT THE REGION'S REPUTATION AS THE SAFEST IN THE LAND...
...AND COVERED UP THE INCIDENT.

HE WAS PARDONED ...
...BY THE CURRENT GOVERN-MENT.

WHAT!?
THEY DID THAT ...!?

...THERE ARE TWO WAYS TO CHANGE A COUNTRY.
DESTROY IT FROM THE OUTSIDE...

...OR HEAL IT FROM THE INSIDE.

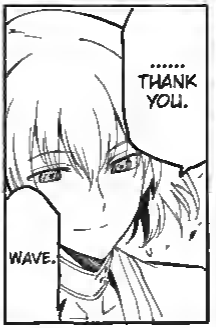

THAT'S WHY I VOWED I WOULD CHANGE THIS COUN-TRY.
..... HOW?

IF I'D CHOSEN TO DESTROY IT THROUGH OUTSIDE FORCES, I PROBABLY WOULD HAVE DEDICATED MYSELF TO THE REBEL ARMY.
I CHOSE TO CHANGE IT FROM THE INSIDE.

I SEE...
WHY'D YOU GO WITH CHANGING IT FROM THE INSIDE?
YOU MUST'VE BEEN IN A DIFFICULT POSITION.
BECAUSE OF THE VICEREINE OF JOYO.
SHE LIKED ME AND FACILITATED MY PROMOTION TO A HIGHER POSITION.
THAT'S HOW I GOT MY TEIGU TOO.
THOUGH RATHER THAN SAY SHE LIKED ME, IT'S MORE LIKE SHE WON ME OVER...
BUT I CAN'T TELL WAVE THAT.
...
...ANY-WAY.
FOR MY LATE STU-DENTS ...
...I MUST RISE IN THE RANKS HERE IN THE CAPI-TAL...
...AND GAIN AS MUCH POWER AS I CAN.

I'LL HELP YOU DO THAT, RUN!
WE HAVE TO CURE ALL DISEASE, INFECTING PEOPLE OR COUNTRIES!

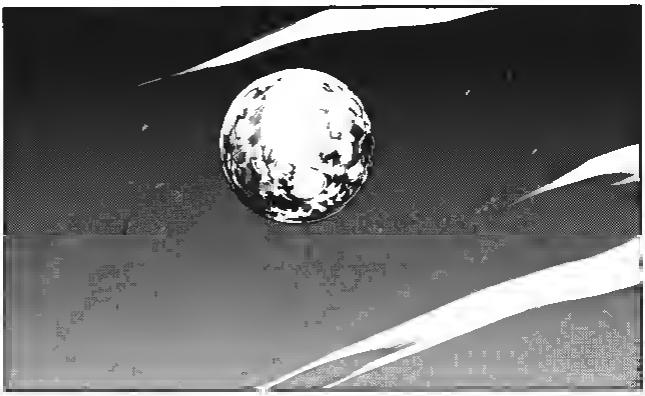
UH...I...I UNDER-STAND, BUT...
NOW NO MORE ATTRACTING WILD HUNT'S ATTENTION OR STARTING FIGHTS.
...WE CAN'T JUST LEAVE THEM TO RUN WILD...


.....
THANK YOU.
WAVE.

IT'S ONLY A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE SHE'S BACK HOME.
ACCORDING TO THE POST, GENERAL ESDEATH IS RAPIDLY PUSHING BACK THE INVADERS FROM THE WEST.

THE GENERAL BEING HERE OR NOT MAKES A HUGE DIFFERENCE!!
YES!

SO YOU REST EASY, WAVE.
FIRST, GET SOME SLEEP AND RESTORE YOUR STRENGTH.



WHERE ARE YOU GOING, RUN?

THERE MUST BE MORE TO THAT STORY YOU WERE TELLING US.

TO WILD HUNT'S LODGINGS ...?
KUROME.

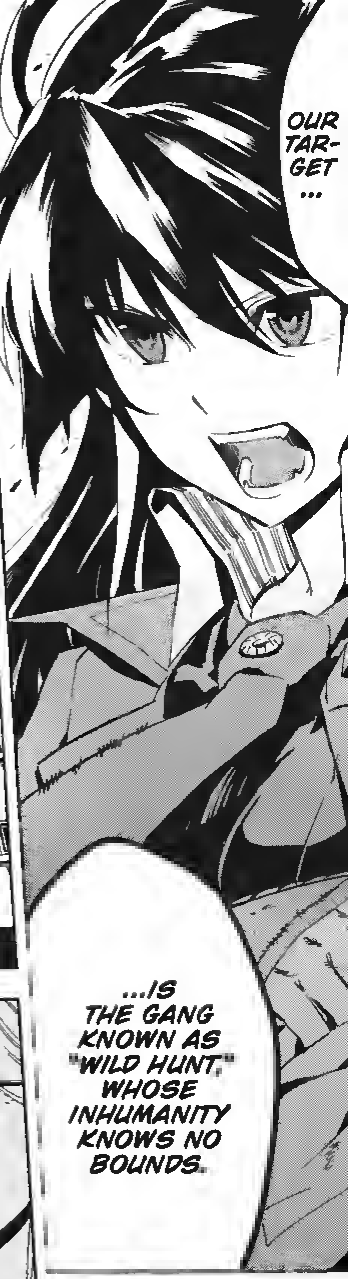
HE'S THERE, ISN'T HE?
ONE OF WILD HUNT'S MEMBERS ...
...IS THE ONE WHO KILLED THOSE CHILDREN.

I GUESS I COULDN'T KEEP MY INTENTIONS...
...OFF MY FACE.
...IN A WAY THAT WON'T ATTRACT TOO MUCH ATTENTION.
THAT'S WHY YOU'RE TRYING TO START A FIGHT...
THAT'S FINE FOR WAVE.
MAKING A BIG SCENE IS MORE HIS STYLE.
I DON'T THINK WAVE REALIZED IT, THOUGH.
I DON'T CARE WHAT ANYONE THINKS. THEY'RE NOT ACTING FOR THE GOOD OF THIS COUNTRY.
THE MURDER OF BOLS'S FAMILY— EVEN THOUGH IT WASN'T THEIR TASK— IS UNFORGIVABLE.
I'M GOING TO HELP YOU OUT.
CHA CHING
Z.Z.Z...
YEAH.
THAT'S WHY I DIDN'T BRING HIM WITH ME.

KUROME.
.....THANKS.
IT'S RARE FOR US TO PAIR UP, BUT I'LL BE COUNTING ON YOU.
RIGHT.

WILD HUNT KNEW ...
FORCING NIGHT RAID TO TAKE ACTION WOULD BE A QUICKER WAY OF FINDING THEM.
...THAT THOUGH THEY WERE ENJOYING THEIR BRUTAL RAMPAGE, IT WOULD END WHEN NIGHT RAID SET THEIR SIGHTS ON THEM.
THEY WERE TO DESTROY THOSE OPPRESSING THE PEOPLE AND STEAL THEIR TEIGU TOO IF POSSIBLE
[illegible] AND HER TEAM EVEN RECEIVED ORDERS FROM THE REVOLUTIONARY ARMY.
AND REQUESTS THAT THEY ASSASSINATE WILD HUNT WERE POURING IN TO NIGHT RAID FROM THE CITIZENS
NIGHT RAID IMMEDIATELY WENT INTO ACTION.
IT WAS THE MOST THEY'D [illegible]GOTTEN. A TESTAMENT TO WILD HUNT'S FEROCITY

THEY'RE GOING TO REST IN PIECES !!

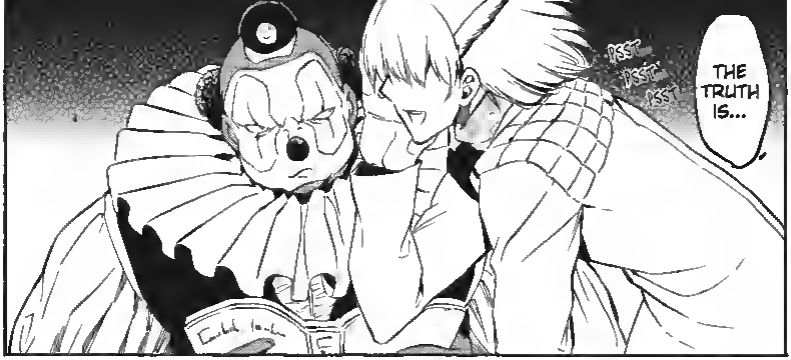

OUR TAR-GET ...
...IS THE GANG KNOWN AS "WILD HUNT," WHOSE INHUMANITY KNOWS NO BOUNDS.

Akame ga KILL!
Rough Sketches 3
Frizzy hair
CHAMP
HAAH
HAAH
HAAH
Tone #63
A little dark
Inked

WILD HUNT'S LODGING
GOOD EVENING, SORRY TO INTERRUPT.
すすす
SUSUSU (SHUFFLE)
ピト
PITO (PRESS)
OH!
RUN, YOU CAME! YAHOO!

PLEASE SAY YOU'LL HANG OUT WITH ME.♪
IF WILD HUNT WILL HAVE ME...
...I PROMISE ...
WHERE ARE THE OTH-ERS?
THEY'RE OVER AT SHULA'S PLACE.
APPARENTLY, HE GOT IN A FIGHT AND GOT ALL BANGED UP.
.....
YOU'RE AWFUL DESPERATE TO GET IN.
SHAMP .....
IF SHULA'S GONE AND HIS LACKEYS ARE OUT...
...THEN THIS REALLY IS MY CHANCE!

Chapter 48 -
KILL THE VENGEANCE
(PART II)


PSST
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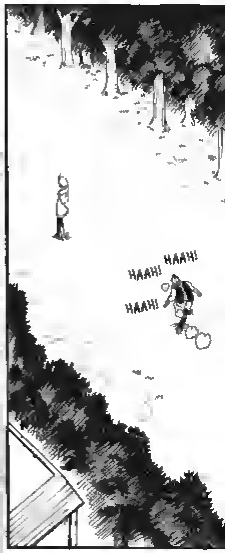
THE TRUTH IS...

YES.

YOU MEAN IT!?

WE'RE AL- MOST THERE.
ARE WE THERE YET?
HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!
WHERE'S THIS COTTAGE WHERE THE SUPER CUTE KIDDOS ARE HOLED UP?
SHAMP.
SUTA
SUTA (STRIDE)


HAAH!
HAAH!
HAAH!

I'M GOING TO LOVE THEM DEEP AND GOOD.
I WONDER WHAT THEY'LL BE LIKE.
AHH...
FIRST YOU GAVE US ALL THAT MONEY, AND NOW YOU FOUND SOME FRESH MEAT FOR ME.
THIS IS MY CHANCE AT A BIG PROMOTION IN LIFE.
YOU REALLY ARE GOOD AT FLATTERING FOLKS.
...WHY DO YOU KILL THEM?
...AFTER YOU'RE DONE LOVING THEM...
SO THOSE SWEET LITTLE ANGELS...
...WON'T BECOME DIRTY OLD ADULTS!

ADULTS ARE NO GOOD.
THEY'RE NOTHING BUT TRASH!
I WANT THOSE ANGELS TO STAY ANGELS FOREVER.
.....
THIS PLACE IS ABAN-DONED!
THERE'S NOT A SINGLE KID AROUND!
... EARLIER ...
HEY!
WHAT'S GOING ON HERE!?
...WHEN YOU WERE DRUNK...
...DO YOU REMEMBER WHAT YOU WERE BOASTING ABOUT?

HUH?
YOU SAID THAT IN THE TOWN OF JOYO...
...YOU ATTACKED AND KILLED ALL THE LOCAL CHILDREN.
OH YEAH ...
THERE WERE SO MANY OF THEM THEN...
I CAN REMEMBER IT AS CLEARLY AS IF IT WAS YESTERDAY.
WAIT!
THAT'S GOT NOTHING TO DO WITH THIS!
?!
PUCH! (CLICK)
AS A MATTER OF FACT, IT DOES.

...WAS THOSE KIDS' ...
I...!!
ZUO WHOOSH
...TEACHER !!

HUH !?
CLOSE ONE!
GYUIN GUOOND
!?
GYA GOHKO

BA
(CHUU-BO)
GAKI
(CRACK)
DO
(OSSU)
WHO ARE YOU GUYS !?

UH-OH...
I DON'T HAVE TIME TO LAUNCH MY TEIGU ...!!
DO
DO
DO
DO
DO (STAB)
GUH!
GU-GEEE-EEEH!

TA (TAIKO)
DOSA (THUD)
I IDENTIFIED YOU FROM ONE MINOR EYE-WITNESS ACCOUNT.
SU (SWF)
THIS HAS BEEN...
...A LONG TIME COMING ...
FU (OOZE)
TO
TO (TAIKO)
TO
COMPARED TO THE PAIN THOSE CHILDREN SUFFERED ...
...THIS IS PROBABLY NOTHING AT ALL.

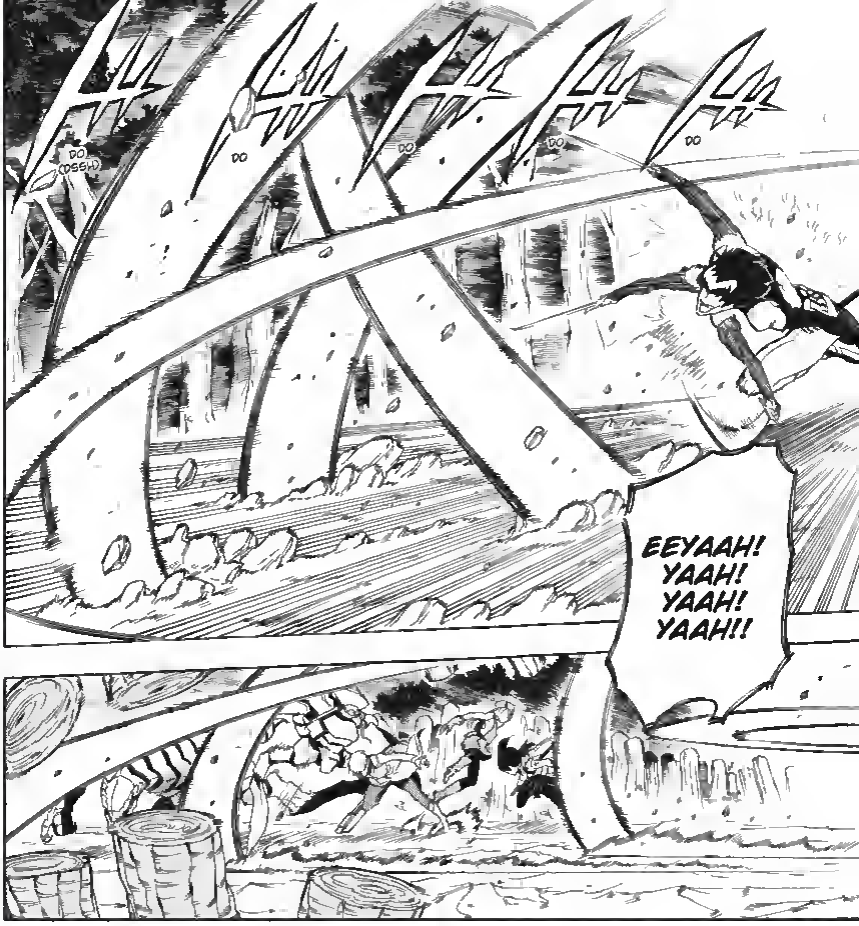
WHEN APPLIED TO AN OPEN WOUND, THE COMPONENTS INSIDE CAUSE SEVERE PAIN...
THE GENERAL'S THE ONE WHO TAUGHT ME ABOUT THIS PLANT.
GYAA-AAA-AAAH !!
IT HURR-RRTS! AAAA-AAAAH !!!
A FITTING TORTURE TO PRECEDE YOUR EXECU-TION.
ZU (OOO)HO
S...
STOP!
IF YOU KILL ME, EVERYONE WILL KNOW YOU DID IT!
YOU DON'T WANT TO DO THIS !!!

DOSU (STAB)
DON'T WORRY.
I'LL JUST BLAME IT ON NIGHT RAID.
!!!
IT TOOK QUITE A WHILE...
...TO GAIN YOU GUYS' TRUST.
GUCHI (SHLORSH)
GUCHA
...IT SEEMS YOU KILLED MANY PEOPLE...
... AND IN THAT TIME ...

BYU (RUSH)
GAAAH!!!
YOU WON'T BE DOING AS YOU PLEASE ANY LONGER.
I'M GOING TO TAKE YOU OUT FROM THE SHADOWS, ONE BY ONE.
!
I JUST HEARD AN AWFUL CRY.
IS THAT YOU, SHAMP!?
TOLD YOU.
WE WERE RIGHT TO GO AFTER HIM.
I CAN'T TRUST A GUY WITH A FACE LIKE HIS.

PU
GNED
ANYWAY, LET'S GO TELL SHULA...
SHUT IT.
IT'S NOT VERY COOL FOR GUYS TO BE SO INSECURE.
YOU SURE YOU'RE NOT JUST JEAL-OUS?
NOW THAT YOU'VE SEEN US...
...WE CAN'T LET YOU LEAVE ALIVE.

AREN'T THEY WITH THE JAEGERS ...?
SO THEY'RE TEAMING UP TO FIGHT US.
FINE BY ME.
KOOOO (WHOOSH)
GOOOO (ROLLING)
AND THEY CHOSE...
...A NIGHT WITH A FULL MOON, OF ALL TIMES.
PERFECT TO UNLEASH MY TEIGU!!
CHIK-CHICK


EEYAAH!
YAAH!
YAAH!
YAAH!!

A CURVED SWORD TEIGU THAT CAN CREATE VACUUM BLADES. DEPENDING ON THE PHASE OF THE MOON, ITS ABILITIES CHANGE.
MOON-LIGHT DANCING SHAMSHIR
!!

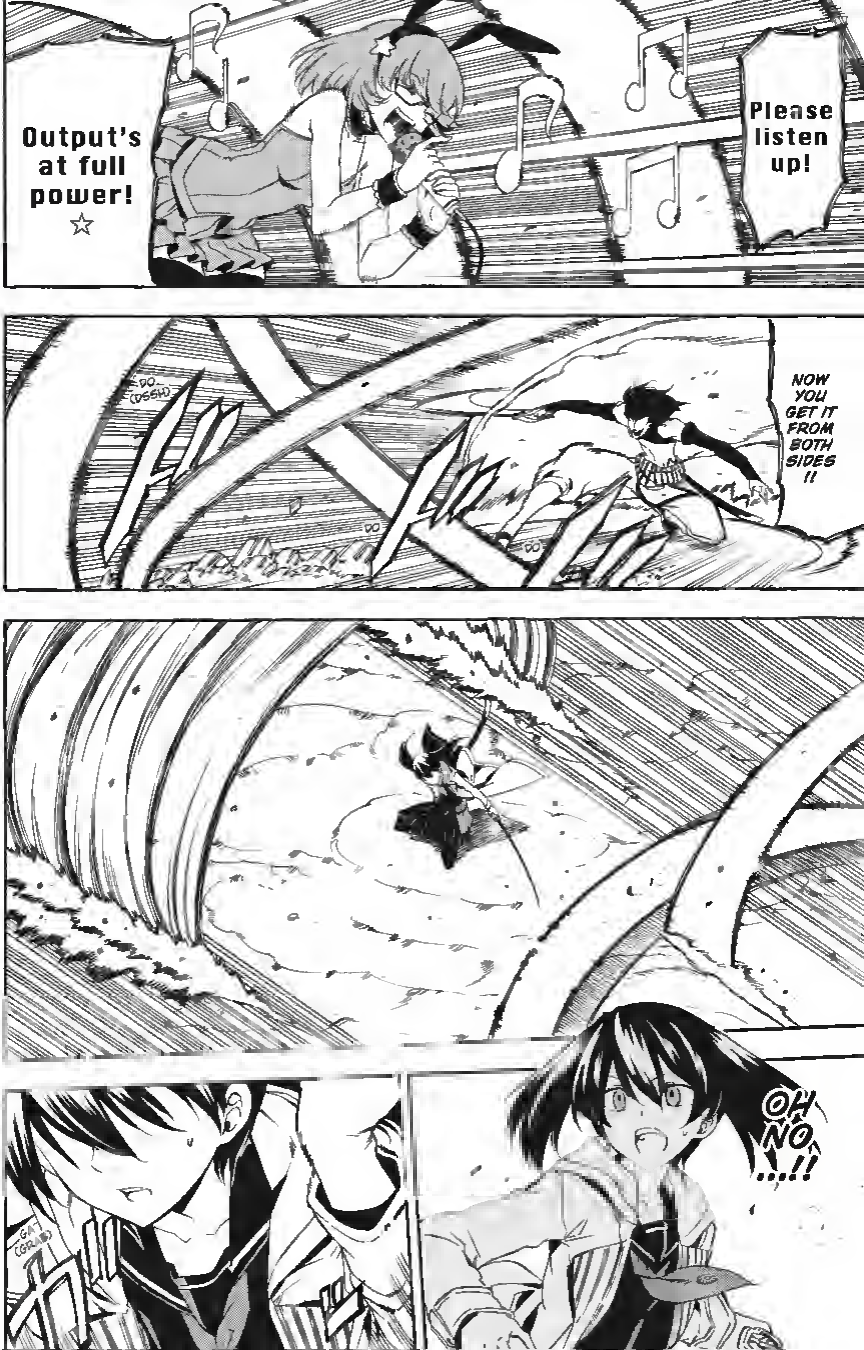
CHA CK-CLICK!
DO! (SLASH)
DO! (SMART)
A WOMAN'S HANDS AREN'T MEANT FOR HOLDING GUNS.
THEY ARE MEANT TO SERVE ME.

TA
TA (CLEAR)
MY!
YOU'RE STRONG!
BUT!
HYU (CLIP)
HYU
HYU
HYU
FULL MOON CIRCLE—

IT WAS YOUR BAD LUCK THAT TONIGHT HAPPENS TO BE A FULL MOON!
ZAI (ZSH)
Thank you so much for gathering here for me.
I hope you all have a good time!!
Every-one! ☆
Cosmina's concert is about to begin!

EARTH-QUAKE
HEAVY PRES-SURE
A MICRO-PHONE TEIGU
THE USER'S VOICE IS AMPLIFIED TO BECOME A SUPER-SONIC WAVE...
...AND SHATTER THE ENEMY.
BAKI GSHO
...!!
ZU GSHO
CRAP! MY DOLLS CAN'T HANDLE THIS.
WHERE ARE YOU LOOK-ING!?

HEY NOW! HERE I COME!
GUOO (WHOOSH)
GRK!
WHAT GIVES? ISN'T THE RING-LEADER THE STRONGEST OF THEM ALL?
ZA (SWISH)
BUT I'M NOT YOUR ONLY OPPONENT HERE!!


Output's at full power! ☆
Please listen up!
DO (DSSH)
DO
DO
NOW YOU GET IT FROM BOTH SIDES !!
GA (GSH)
OH NO...!!

ARE YOU OKAY, KUROME!?
RUN!
BASA (FLAP)
DO DO DO DO DO DO DO DO (CONT.)
KYUN (WHIZ)
IF THEY THOUGHT TO FOLLOW ME...
...THEY'RE NOT AS STUPID AS I'D ASSUMED.

GOOOOO (WHOOOO)
STORM ORB!!
GYAGOOOO (WHOOOSH)
THIS IS...
...SHAMP'S TEIGU... WHICH MEANS...!!
BOW! (BOOM)

KA
GLASH!
I...
FINALLY
...
...GOT
TO...
ATTACK
BACK...!!
BOMB
ORB!!

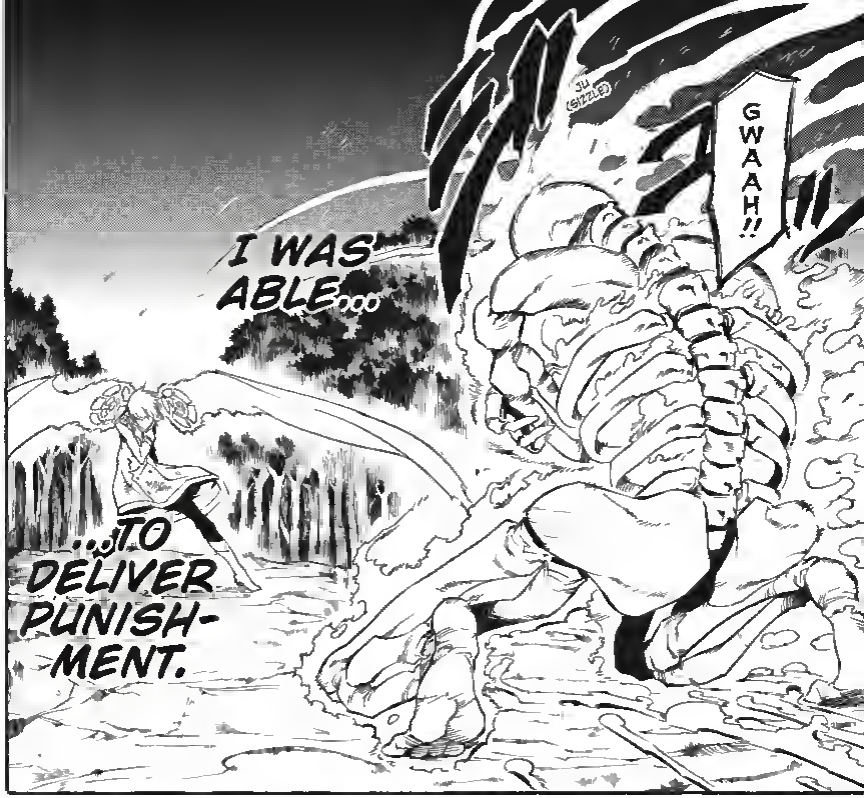
KUH .....!!
DO (THUD)
...THE GREAT SHAMP.
YOU UN-DER-ESTI-MAT-ED...
ZA CESHO
ZA
ZA
UH, HELLO?
CHAOS THROW BIG LEAGUER
EACH ONE HAS ITS OWN UNIQUE PROPERTIES THAT WILL ACTIVATE UPON BEING THROWN.
SIX SPHERE TEIGU

...WOULDN'T STOP CALLING FOR YOU.
YOU UNEARTHED SOME UGLY MEMORIES.
BACK THEN, THOSE LITTLE ANGELS...
"TEACHER! TEACHER!" THEY CRIED.
TALK ABOUT A MOOD KILL-ER.
IT SPOILED THE TIME I SPENT WITH MY LITTLE ANGELS...!!
NOW...
...WHICH BALL SHOULD I USE TO FINISH YOU OFF?
GYU (SQUEEZE)
I'VE GOT JUST THE ONE.
FLAME ORB !!

DEATH BY BURNING AT THE STAKE!!!
MASTEMA
SECRET TECHNIQUE
FEATHER OF GOD!!

ZAA CHSSHO
GAKA CHCHANG
BATTLING CLOSHO
WHA !?

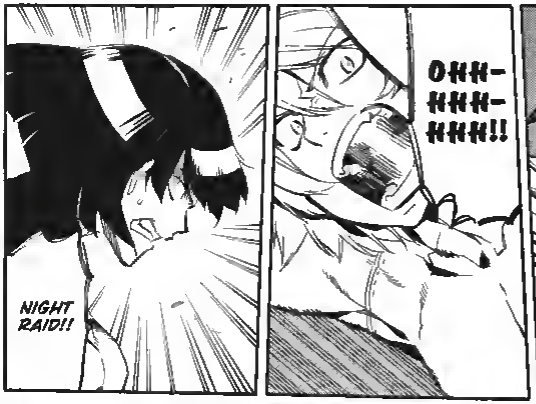
DOGGO CHANNND
WHAT'S ..
GYURURU
GRRNNNND
... THAT ...?
AAAAAAAAH!!
HOT TTTTT!!
AT LAST.
.....
GHUDO GUARD


GWAAH!!
I WAS ABLE...
...TO DELIVER PUNISH-MENT.

SFX: TA (TMP) TA TA TA
RUN, BEFORE YOU DIE...
...LET'S HAVE SOME FUN.

'KAY!?
ZUGYU (GLRSH)
ZA (GKID)
ZA
ALL RIGHT! GO ME!
HUH?
WHAT ...?
SHUUUU (FSHHH)
ALL RIGHT. NOW LET'S BACK UP THE OTHERS.
AND THANK YOU, BODY-GUARD!

WHAT THE ...!?


NIGHT RAID!!
OHH-HHH-HHH!!

CLEAR!

FUUUUN
CHOOOOOO

YOU'RE TOO SLOW!
YOU IRON-CLAD IDIOT.
WHOA!
SO THIS IS THE TEAM FAVORITE.
REST IN PIECES.

DO (DOUD)
DO (SUUN)
ZA (GUASHI)
GUUH...!
T.....

TOO STRONG ...
BAT (FLAP)
KYU (SWISH)
DOKUN (GROWL)
SHAKI (CHUNK)

SISTER.
DON'T TELL ME OUR TARGET WAS THE JAEGERS' TARGET AS WELL...
TA (TAK)
WE JAEGERS HUNT DOWN ANY WHO DISTURB THE PEACE!
JAKA (KSHING)
NO MATTER WHO IT IS!

THIS TIME...
...SHE'LL BE SAFE...
"WE"...?
YOU'VE CHANGED SINCE WE FIRST MET, KUROME-SAN.
SHIT...
IT'S GOING TO BE HARD TO STRIKE AT HER...!!
BUT...!
KUROME... YOU'RE ALSO THE REVOLUTIONARY ARMY'S TARGET.
HERE I COME, KUROME.
SHING
CLASH!

MAS-
TEMA
...!!
DO
DO
(OSH)
DO
DO
BA
CYANK
!?
!!
AKAME!!
BA
CRLOOM
WATCH
OUT!!
GUAMMA
CANNON

THIS IS IN-TENSE!
NHH ...
GACHA GA-CLICK!
YOU ASS-HOLE!
BA CHOP!
GYUOOOO, GUOOOOH!
IT'S NO USE ...
THEY'RE OUT OF RANGE.

SO THE ATTACK WAS A SUCCESS. I'VE CONFIRMED THERE WERE NO WITNESSES.
WELL, AT LEAST WE CAN CONFISCATE MORE TEIGU.
IT FELT LIKE THEY SUMMONED ALL THEIR REMAINING STRENGTH ...
...TO MAKE THEIR RETREAT.
LET'S GET OUT OF HERE.
WE WERE ABLE TO FIND THEM BECAUSE OF THAT RUCKUS THEY WERE CAUSING, BUT...
...IT'LL ATTRACT OTHER PEOPLE BESIDES US TOO.
I DIDN'T DO ANYTHING, SO I'M STILL NOT SATISFIED!
NEXT IS THE REST OF WILD HUNT.

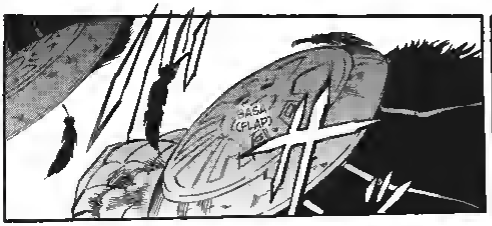
KUROME...
GNH ...!
RUN !!
HE'S DYING ...!!
.....

...I GUESS THIS IS WHAT I GET...
...FOR TORTURING HIM... INSTEAD OF KILLING HIM OUTRIGHT...
I THINK THIS IS THE END OF THE ROAD FOR ME...
NO!
IF YOU GO, WAVE WILL BE A WRECK.
AND I'LL HATE YOU...!
PLEASE TELL THIS TO WAVE FOR ME.
THAT HE SHOULD KEEP MOVING FORWARD...
...NEVER LETTING GO OF... HIS GENTLE NATURE.
.....
RUN...

DO
(STAB)

LET'S STAY TOGETHER A LITTLE LONGER.
YOU'VE REALLY LOST YOUR MIND...
KURO... ME...
GAH AH
YATSU-FUSA CAN MAKE THAT POSSI-BLE.
...THE COUNTRY THAT RAISED HER TO BE LIKE THIS...
THIS IS WHY...
...MUST...CHANGE...

THIS IS FINE ...
WE JAEGERS ARE A TEAM, AFTER ALL.


SASA (FLAP) SA

GUCHA (SKLRSH)

WE FINALLY REALLY GOT TO KNOW EACH OTHER.
I'D BE SAD IF WE HAD TO SAY GOOD-BYE...

GWOOOOOO
DON'T YOU AGREE?
RUN?

Akame ga KILL!

Akame ga KILL!
Rough Sketches 4

COSMINA

Slight 80's vibe

Has a star motif throughout her design

Always has sex on her mind

Tone

Teigu =
Earthquake
Heavy Pressure

Up close, you can see it's a cat's head

TAKAHIRO's POSTSCRIPT

Hello, this is Takahiro from Minato Soft.
I'd like to provide some extra commentary on the characters and design choices. Please see below after reading the entirety of Volume 10.

◆**Enshin 5'7" (170 cm) / Blood Type B**
I deliberately designed him to be the type of guy who always has his tongue lolling out and who you can tell is a bad guy just by looking at him. Debauchery and decadence are his life's motto, and he used to be a pirate who ran amok in the southern archipelago. That's when Shula scouted him out for his team. He believes that since you only live once, you should do whatever you bloody well please. Coming from a life of poverty, when he turned to a life of piracy he exercised brutality to the extreme. He embodies the demonically violent character of Shula's team.
[Teigu] Moonlight Dancing Shamshir
A curved sword Teigu that unleashes vacuum blades. Its force varies depending on the phase of the moon. It is at peak performance during the full moon.

◆**Champ 5'11" (180 cm tall) / Blood Type AB**
A guy who loves children in a sexual sense. He was raised in a wealthy household, but his parents abused him, so he saw innocent children as an outlet for healing from that pain and played the role of a clown so he could play with them. He eventually lost all faith in "filthy" adults and started killing children to keep them from growing up. Over time, he developed a sexual association with the act, and soon he became a demented serial killer. For such a heavy man, he's very agile in demonstrating how strong an attack his body can unleash. Starting with the Empire, he was visiting every region to continue his killing spree until Shula procured him, enticing him to join with promises of unbridled rampages to be had.
[Teigu] Chess Throw Big League
A Teigu made up of six spheres, reminiscent of a clown's juggling balls.
◎Flame Orb (flammable properties) Highly damaging attack that envelops the target in flames.
◎Ice Orb (ice and snow properties) Freezes any opponent it touches.
◎Rotten Orb (erosion properties) Bead of erosion. Whatever it hits erodes away.
◎Thunder Orb (lightning properties) Stuns an opponent with an electric jolt.
◎Storm Orb (windstorm properties) The fastest bead. Whips up a whirlwind.
◎Bomb Orb (explosive properties) Detonates upon contact.
He throws orbs imbued with the listed properties. Once thrown, they will return to his hand.

◆**[Teigu] Earthquake Heavy Pressure**
The microphone-shaped Teigu used by Coemine. Amplified through this instrument, any voice will become a supersonic wave that utterly shatters the enemy. Coemine can adjust the force. Its secret technique unleashes a unique sound wave that causes creatures in the surrounding area to suffer for a while, rendering them paralyzed by her nasty voice. The result is effective so long as her voice can be heard by the enemy, but using the technique burns a huge amount of calories, so she can't unleash the attack multiple times in a row. And if her own teammates happen to be in the vicinity, they'll fall victim to the attack too.

And that's all. See you in the next volume.

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Comment

Tashiro here. Thank you so much for continuing to purchase the books! In this volume, Wave kun got to show off some awesome moves, so I was very motivated. Good luck to Tatsumi kun too!
First there was the announcement about the series becoming an anime, and now getting to see Akame-san actually moving in the teaser commercials makes me happy about all the things I have to appreciate!
I'm going to work my hardest to keep doing what I do, so thank you for your consideration, everyone!

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Bonus Collaboration Manga
Akame ga K.I.L.L! vs. Akame ga KILL ZERO
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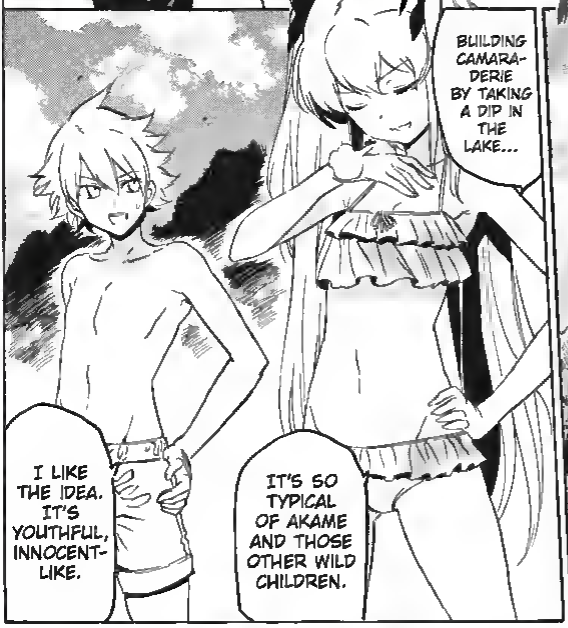
BUILDING CAMARADERIE BY TAKING A DIP IN THE LAKE...
I LIKE THE IDEA. IT'S YOUTHFUL, INNOCENT-LIKE.
IT'S SO TYPICAL OF AKAME AND THOSE OTHER WILD CHILDREN.

TATSUMI AND THE GANG HAVE COME TO THE WORLD OF AKAME ZERO.

I JUST HOPE MY FIGURE IN A BATHING SUIT ISN'T TOO MUCH FOR THEM TO TAKE.
THE WHOLE ZERO TEAM IS MADE UP OF KIDS, RIGHT?

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THE CHAOS IN THE CAPITAL ARC HEATS UP!!

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